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STORM TOLL GROWS WITH SEARCH OF RUINS TODAY

STATE ACTS PROMPTLY TO HELP VICTIMS

Half Million Dollars for Relief Work is Assembly's Plan

BULLETIN

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Springfield, Ill., Mar. 19—Governor Len Small, accompanied by his son-in-law, Col. A. E. Inglesh, and A. C. Bothfuhr, of Kankakee, left shortly before noon today for the storm area.

At the same time Adjutant General C. E. Black, directed the 108th medical regiment, Chicago, to entrain for Carbondale.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Springfield, Ill., Mar. 19—At the request of Governor Small, the Senate today took up and advanced to second reading without reference a bill that appropriates $500,000 for storm relief. The bill, introduced this morning immediately upon the convocation of the Senate, provides that the money shall be appropriated to the Governor and distributed by a committee made up of four senators and three representatives.

The bill will become a law next Wednesday, under the present schedule, representatives of both houses having agreed with the Governor this morning to give it right of way over all other business. It will go to third reading tomorrow, be passed and go to the House Monday and to the Governor Wednesday. It is possible that the General Assembly will hold a session Friday and in this case action on the bill would be speeded up considerably.

Detachments, of the Illinois National Guard from eight Illinois cities have been ordered to the storm zone, and an order directing the 198th medical regiment, Chicago, will probably follow shortly, Adjutant General Black announced this morning. Supplies of tent hospitals and supplies have also been ordered taken to West Frankfort and Murphysboro, as concentration points.

Troops Ordered on Duty

Troops ordered to Murphysboro are Headquarters Company 3rd battalion 130th infantry, Carbondale; Company L, 130th infantry, Hillsboro, medical detachment 130th infantry, Quincy; medical detachment 106th cavalry Champaign.

Troops ordered to West Frankfort are Company K of Cairo and Company 1, Salem both of the 130th infantry, and the medical detachment of the 129th infantry, Ottawa.

Supplies ordered into the tornado zone from Chicago in charge of Col. S. O. Tripp, were 1,000 big army tents; 1,000 sibley stoves; 4,000 cots; 4,000 pillows; 4,000 bed sacks; 12,000 blankets.

They will be taken in ten cars, which are being loaded this morning, to Carbondale.

Ten large hospital tents, 30 by 70 feet have been sent from Springfield to Murphysboro.

To cope with the problem of sanitation Dr. Thomas Leonard, assistant director of public health, is already in the district, with one sanitary engineer, a supervisor of nurses, two quarantine officers, four district health superintendents and four nurses. They are equipped with a field laboratory and a quantity of serums.

Charles Franklin Laid to Rest Wednesday Morn

The funeral of Charles Franklin, former Dixon young man, who passed away in the Deaconess hospital in Butte, Mont., last Wednesday, was held yesterday morning at St. Patrick's Catholic church in this city, with burial in Oakwood cemetery. Mr. Franklin's death was caused by heart trouble, following an operation for appendicitis, and funeral services were held at the Elks' home in Butte Sunday morning before the remains were brought to Dixon. Mr. Franklin was born in Dixon August 5, 1881 and spent his boyhood in this city. He went west in 1904 and settled in Butte a few years ago, where he became associated with the Ansonia Amusement Co. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Margaret Franklin, and his sister, Mrs. David Kelly, both of Dixon.

Among the out-of-town people who attended the funeral were: Monte Bales of Clinton, Frank Carney of Rochelle, Frank Hosington of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Will Daum and son of Steward and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Johnson of Rockford.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ketchin Called this Afternoon

Mrs. Elizabeth Ketchin passed away about 1 o'clock this afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. U. Weyant, 615 East Morgan street, after an illness of about a week's duration. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Agnes Weyant and three sons, James Ketchin, Henry Ketchin and Alexander Ketchin, all of Dixon. The complete obituary and funeral announcement will be published later.

Commander of British Army Undergoes Operation

London, March 19.—(By the Associated Press)—The Earl of Ypres, who as Field Marshal French commanded the British army in the field during the great war, underwent a severe and prolonged operation today. A bulletin says:

"Lord Ypers' condition after the operation is as satisfactory as could be expected, but it must of necessity give rise to anxiety for some time."

New High School Best Solution of Dixon's Situation

2. Q. Will it be possible to enlarge and modernize the South Side High School to enable that building to take care of all high school students in the community

A. This solution was taken up by the Board of Education as a possibility. It means the rebuilding and adding to the present structure to accomodate the vocational students in the various departments and, also, a new grade building to house the students who are in the High School building. The architect's estimate of making the South Side School an adequate building and enlarging the E. C. Smith School to take care of the grade children exceeded $400,000. This amount will build a new high school building and the entire present building may be utilized for grade purposes. While it is a fact that our grade schools are not up to standard, the building of one new high school building will solve the problem of handling the grades as well as the high schools.

Two Big Hotels at Palm Beach Destroyed by Fire

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Palm Beach, Fla., Mar. 19—More than four million dollars worth of property lay in ruins here today after the fire of last night which swept through the Breakers and Palm Beach hotels and for a time threatened the entire section of the city.

Smouldering ashes were all that remained of two noted hotels.

No confirmation had come today of the rumor that an elderly man and woman had perished in the Breakers.

The cause of the fire has not been positively ascertained. It was variously said to have originated from a carelessly thrown cigarette, a plumbers' torch and an electrical appliance in the hands of a woman guest.

Rescurers Fail to Get to 34 Etombed Miners

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Fairmont, W. Va., Mar. 19—Tireless rescue workers continued their struggle today to reach the 34 miners entombed by a terrific explosion which Tuesday night wrecked mine number 41 of the Bethlehem Mines Corporation at Barrackville.

Late last night the mine had been penetrated more than 4,000 feet. No bodies had been found.

R. M. Lambie, chief of the West Virginia department of mines, announced that fire was burning in the right heading. Twenty men are believed trapped in this heading and 14 in the left heading.

Red Cross Machinery in Action With Speed

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Galesburg, Ill., Mar. 19—Within 20 minutes after the tornado struck in Illinois yesterday, the Red Cross had its disaster relief machinery in motion and under the direction of Henry M. Baker, national director of disaster relief, is now carrying on relief work at the scene of the disaster, according to R. V. Field of Galesburg, chairman of the Illinois council of the Red Cross. Mr. Field said it is possible that an appeal for aid would be sent to all chapters of the Red Cross in the state.

Installment of "Baree" Omitted in Today's Paper

Because of the amount of storm news and advertising matter which crowded in on The Telegraph unexpectedly today, the daily installment of Curwood's great story, "Baree, Son of Kazan" is omitted. The story will be resumed in tomorrow's issue.

Tuesday Was Anniversary of Opening Dixon Bridge

One of Dixon's pioneer residents and historians today announced that Tuesday not only was the birthday of St. Patrick, but that 40 years ago last Tuesday the present Galena avenue bridge structure was thrown open for its first traffic.

THE WEATHER



THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 1925

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Illinois—Generally fair tonight and Friday; not much cnance in temperature.

Chicago and Vicinity—Generally fair tonight and Friday, but probably with some cloudiness; not much change in temperature; lowest tonight near freezing; moderate variable winds.

Iowa—Fair tonight and Friday; warmer in northwest portion Friday.

DATA ON GASOLINE TAX FOR COUNTIES' AID IS PREPARED

Lee and Ogle Superintendents Outline Plan to Get Counties' Help

Prof. L. B. Neighbour, county superintendent of highways of Lee county and Alex Anderson, county superintendent of highways of Ogle county, have prepared some interesting facts and figures in favor of the proposed gasoline tax bill, with alterations, copies of which are being mailed out of the local office to county boards throughout the state. The investigations have covered considerable time, and are very interesting. At the recent meeting of the board of supervisors resolutions were unanimously adopted in favor of the proposed gasoline tax bill providing that it be levied for the support of the county highways.

The report of the Lee and Ogle county superintendents which is being mailed out is as follows:

Certain bills have been introduced and are now pending in the Illinois legislature, proposing the levying of a tax of 2 cents per gallon on all Gasoline sold in the State, except for industrial and agricultural purposes. Such a levy, it is estimated, would produce approximately $10,000,000 a year, and this it is proposed to use, in some way or other, for highway purposes. On that, all bills agree.

Naturally enough, different plans are suggested for the distribution of the fund to be so raised. Some ask that the whole amount go to the State roads; some that it be divided between the State and the Counties; others, that the entire fund be returned to the Counties, on some equitable basis, for use on the County systems. Some would have such a tax in lieu of the present 25c County Highway Tax; some, in addition thereto. The undersigned favor the last named plan.

We believe that the sentiment in the greater part of the State would favor a Gasoline Tax, to be made available at once, collected by the State and refunded to the Counties, on some such basis as the following:

One-half, on the ratio that the total road mileage of the county bears to the total road mileage of the State, and

One-half, on the ratio that the population of the County bears to the population of the State.

This method of distribution would seem to give fair treatment to both the populous and the sparsely settled county.

The problem might be worked out somewhat as follows:

Total road mileage of the State	96,000
Total population of the State (1920)	6,485,000
Total Gasoline Tax @ 2c per gal. (estimated)	$10,000,000
One-half, to be assigned on the basis of road mileage	5,000,000
One-half, to be assigned on the basis of population	5,000,000
$5,000,000 divided by 96,000 is $52, refund per mile.	
$5,000,000 divided by 6,485,000 is 77c refund per person.	

Problem Worked Out for Lee County.

Let us apply these figures to Lee County; say, with 1,255 miles of roads and a population of 28,000.

1,255 miles @ $52 per mile	$65,260
28,000 population @ 77c per capita	20,960
Total to the County	$86,220

With the road mileage and the population known, it is equally easy to figure out the result for any other County of the State.

Why the County Should Receive the Revenue.

The reason for requesting the levy, and immediate levy, and distribution of a Gasoline Tax, by the State, is because of an emergency that exists in the counties.

The State and the Township Already Provided For.

The State has just been given a fund for the work of the near future, in the $100,000,000 bond issue. It also has upwards of $10,000,000 per annum, from the auto license fees as well as large assistance from the Federal government.

The Township or Road Districts are provided a levy of 66c on each $100 assessed valuation while they have but about two-thirds their original mileage to care for, now that the State and the County have been assign the upkeep of a large proportion of the mostly highly traveled highways. The Township has also the power to levy a hard road special tax up to 66 2-3c on the $100, and a bonding power to an equal extent,— a total taxation power of nearly $2.00 to the assessed valuation.

Thus it is clear that both the State and the Townships have the resources in sight for their reasonable road programs.

The Counties have not been so generously dealt with. They have only the highway fund that may be derived from the levy of 25c on the $100 —one-eighth what is posible in the Townships.

With this, they are expected to construct and maintain from 20 to 30 percent of the highway total (according to the class of the county), and these the principally traveled roads outside of the State system.

If levied to the limit, the present county highway tax yields, in an average county, less than $300 a mile. Such a revenue only patrols the roads, or oils them. It does not grade them, provide them with permanent bridges and culverts, or hard-surface them. Even if the roads have already been graveled or macadamized, it will not replace the wear and tear, say nothing of grading roadbed and placing hard surface thereon.

The result is inevitable that in a few years, as things now are, the State Aid roads will be in a worse state of repair than when they were assigned to the counties for upkeep.

Where much bridge construction is necessary, results will be still worse. And no higher direct tax can be levied for as a rule the counties are levy-

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Emulated St. Patrick on Holiday and Killed Big Snake on His Farm

John Cannon emulated St. Patrick on St. Patrick's Day when on the Louis Zigler farm he killed a snake. The snake terrified some hens in the field and they flew about clucking wildly, causing Mr. Cannon to investigate. He found a large snake, more than two and one-half feet long, which he killed.

DIXON KIWANIANS PAID TRIBUTE TO ADDISON PROCTOR

Remembered as Man Who Addressed Club Here Few Months Ago

At the regular weekly meeting of the Dixon Kiwanis club Tuesday, the resolutions committee submitted the following memorial of Addison G. Proctor, last surviving member of the famous Wigwam committee, who addressed the club last fall and passed away in Chicago a few weeks ago. Copies of the resolutions, which were unanimously adopted, were forwarded by the Kiwanis club of St. Joseph, Mich., of which Mr. Proctor was a member.

There appeared before us one night last winter a gracious and kindly man of most winning personality, in the ripe fullness of many years, who as an actor therein portrayed for us the stirring scenes in that National Republican Convention which led up to the nomination of Abraham Lincoln for the Presidency of the United States. Himself the last of the great gathering of distinguished men whose action there made history, the significance of which can never be measured in the preservation of the Union and the perpetuity of this Nation, he made live again for us those great characters, many of whom are already passing from our memories into an undeserved oblivion. A representative of the best patrician blood of the East he seemed to us one of a past age of more kingly men. He had dedicated the closing years of a worthy and well spent life, which he might otherwise have passed in the ease and dignity of home, to the noble but arduous duty of re-kindling interest, if need be, in the life of not only the greatest son of Illinois but of this Nation. In this self-imposed task, a labor of love with him, he brought to thousands of young and old, all over this land, the heroic life of Lincoln and a glimpse of those great men who, under God's providence, were instrumental in bringing to the leadership of the Nation in its hour of direst need the one man of all best fitted for that place. Worn out with the fatigues and hardships of this task Addison G. Proctor died and in his death was broken the last link of the present with an historical event of imperishable memory.

RESOLVED, that the Kiwanis Club, of Dixon, Illinois, mourns the death of our fellow-Kiwanian, Addison G. Proctor, who in his brief visit here made us all his friends and debtors and kindled within us a fresh interest in the life of our martyred President and his time.

RESOLVED, further, that we spread this memorial upon our records, that we forward a copy thereof to the Kiwanis Club of St. Joseph, Michigan, of which Mr. Procter was a valued member, and give another copy to the public press.

Former Harmon Minister is Laid to Rest at Canton

The following from the Canton, Ill. Ledger, concerning the funeral of Rev. T. G. Willstead, former pastor of the Harmon Methodist church, will be of interest to his many friends in that community:

The funeral of the Rev. T. G. Willstead, Civil war veteran and widely-known and esteemed citizen of Canton, was held in the Methodist church.

The officiating pastors were the Rev. C. F. W. Smith, Quincy; Rev. A. H. Smith, Canton; the Rev. R. E. Buckey, the Rev. Paul Nector and the Rev. Mrs. Polk of Augusta.

The pall bearers were all members of the local Sons of Veteran camp and were C. D. Cook, H. L. Wilhelm, C. B. Adams, Albert Dodson and A. J. Corwin.

Burial was in Greenwood cemetery.

Corrections in List of County Road Patrolmen

A corrected list of county patrolmen who will start work on the highways of the county April 1 has been supplied from the office of the county superintendent of highways, as follows:

Patrol route No. 1—Theodore Seavey; 2—O. E. McCleary; 3—Homer Hensen; 4—Frank Brechon; 5— F. W. Larson; 6—Eugene Piper; 7—J. H. McCullough; 8—C. T. Garland; 9—George Hike; 10—Robert Thrasher; 11—Morris July; 12—George Dunacth; 13—John S. Derr; 14—Steve Carnahan; 15—Jesse J. Ketchum; 16—George Ketchum; 17—Leo Henry; 18—Carl Heggerness; 19—George Manon; 20—Hobart Macbeth; 21—George Gronewald.

Frank Hogan Heads South Bend Lodge B. P. O. Elks

Frank O. Hogan, former Dixon boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hogan of 813 Fifth street, was elected Exalted Ruler of the South Bend Lodge of Elks at their annual meeting. The lodge has 1000 members, is housed in a beautiful club house, which is entirely paid for, and is noted for its charitable work in the city. Frank's many friends will extend congratulations.

LATE BULLETINS

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Cairo, Ill., Mar. 19—A message relayed through here today from Chief Dispatcher Wallace of the Mobile & Ohio at Murphysboro to Vice President Irving at 11:15 a. m., estimated the dead at from 500 to 1,200 and placed the loss to the railroad there at $1,500,000 including the shops, round house, five coaches and eleven engines, including six of the mountain type.

Springfield, Ill., Mar. 19—(By The Associated Press)—Acting for the Illinois Chamber of Commerce, John H. Camlin, of Rockford, its president, today telegraphed Ferdinand Kohl of Centralia, asking him to investigate and instruct the state organization what material help is needed and how the Chamber of Commerce can best help in the crisis.

Mr. Camlin appointed Mr. Kohl, chairman of the relief committee of the Chamber of Commerce, and named five committee members, F. P. Watson, Mt. Vernon; A. C. Niemeyer, Belleville; J. E. Stegman, East St. Louis; J. P. Schuh, Cairo, and F. W. Keller, Lawrenceville.

SHEPHERD IN CELL TO AWAIT HEARING TO FIX HIS BONDS

Exhumation of Orphan's Body May be Ordered by the State

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Mar. 19—William D. Shepherd, foster father of William N. McClintock, "orphan millionaire" today occupied a county jail cell while prosecutors investigated a theory that the typhoid germs he is accused of giving McClintock, to kill him, may have come from the city health department.

They established a connection between two health department employes and the National University of Science, whose head, Charles C. Faiman, said he gave the germs to Shepherd.

Stationery of the school contained as faculty members the names of Winfield S. Hoerger, a health inspector, and Dr. Harry Rand, formerly in the bureau of diphtheria control.

To Fix Bail Saturday

It was agreed to go thoroughly into matters of motions and bail for Shepherd Saturday morning, when State's Attorney Crowe said he would have Faiman and four others whose testimony before the grand jury resulted in the indictment, in court.

In their attempt to free Shepherd, his attorneys challenged the state to establish the "corpus delicti" or proof of crime. The confession of Faiman, they contended, could not establish this proof and, they said, "there must be independent proof that death was not by natural causes."

Possible exhumation, not only of the body of young McClintock, but also those of Mrs. Anna Nelson McClintock, his mother, who died 16 years ago; and Dr. Oscar Olson, friend of the family and brother of Harry Olson, chief justice of the municipal court and instigator of the McClintock death inquiry, was indicated by state's authorities.

Faiman, although indicted, has not been formally arrested but is held in custody of the state's attorneys.

Mrs. Anna Dickinson is Called by Her Creator

Mrs. Anna Harriet Dickinson a resident of Dixon for the past 37 years passed away at the family home, 1009 Seventh street, last evening at 6 o'clock, death resulting from infirmities. Mrs. Dickinson was born in London, England, February 3, 1841. She is survived by five daughters and two sons as follows: Mrs. Emma Robbins, of Vandalia, Ill., Mrs. Henry Weatherall of Howard, Neb., Mrs. A. L. Kirk of Chicago, who preceded her in death, Mrs. J. D. Attley of Chicago, Mrs. Hattie Ihrig of Rock Island, George S., and Harry R., of this city. Eighteen grand children and 22 great grandchildren also survive. Funeral services will be conducted from the residence tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 with interment in the Oakwood Memorial mausoleum.

Clothing Store Robbed at Sycamore Last Nigt

Local authorities were notified early today of the theft of one hundred suits of clothes and considerable other men's wearing apparel from a clothing store in Sycamore early this morning. Sheriff Crawford stated that a high powered car or truck was used and possibly headed for Chicago, passing through DeKalb.

Oregon Elks Arrive for Initiation this Evening

Several automobiles carrying Oregon members of the Dixon lodge of Elks arrived here this afternoon to attend the initiation of a large class of candidates at a special meeting this evening. Delegations were also due to arrive from Polo and Mendota.

Dixon Mother and Her Baby in Storm's Path

Edwin Wingert of this city was today anxiously awaiting word from Crossville, Ill., which was in the path of yesterday's storm, for his wife and child are there visiting Mrs. Wingert's parents. The Associated Press dispatches today placed the storm's toll in Crossville as one killed and ten injured.

HUNDREDS DEAD AND INJURED IN TORNADO WHICH SWEPT SOUTHERN ILLINOIS AND INDIANA WEDNESDAY

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Dead, estimated at 500 to 1,200; injured, estimated at 2,500 to 3,000; homeless, estimated at 8,000 to 10,000.

A mid-afternoon tornado, the worst hour to strike, when children were packed in schools and workers in stores and shops, yesterday's storm in five mid-western states still held many victims buried and unreported this afternoon.

Where it did the worst damage, the tornado lasted less than five minutes.

It flattened heavily constructed school and business buildings with worse results than the casualties in lighter dwellings.

Babies in homes were special sufferers.

Fires which still rage or smoulder in the millions of dollars worth of wreckage, delayed counts of larger death lists.

The hardest hit places were two small cities in southern Illinois, West Frankfort and Murphysboro.

Nearly all the destruction was in the soft coal fields.

Next to Illinois, the worst sufferers were in Indiana and Missouri with fatal echoes of the twister coming from Tennessee and Kentucky.

Red Cross, states guardsmen, army aviation forces, railroad resources piled into many special trains and private relief from two of the nation's largest cities, Chiago and St. Louis with a host of contributions from smaller cities, concentrated on southern Illinois.

Two towns in the wake of the tornado were reported to have been virtually erased from the map while a large section of another was laid to ruins. Only one home and a school house were the remaining structures in Parrish, Franklin County, Ill. The four dwellings left standing at Griffin, Posey County, Ind., a town of 750, were badly damaged. One hundred city blocks at Murphysboro were practically flattened. Seventy blocks in the residential section were swept by flames.

Setting a record for swift legislation, the members of the Illinois legislature and those in the Missouri assembly respectively pushed forward measures appropriating $500,000 and $25,000 for relief in their devastated sections.

In the stricken district in Southern Illinois, the storm took its toll in several places in less than five minutes.

A brakeman on an Illinois Central train who witnessed the tragedy at De Soto, pictured it thus:

"A crash of thunder, preceeded by two blinding flashes of lighting, after which there was nothing left of the town."

Chicago, March 19—(By The Associated Press)—The most devastating storm this country has experienced in nearly half a century swept through portions of six midwestern states last night, collecting a dead and injured toll estimated at upward of 4,000 and causing property damage of many millions.

So prostrated were portions of Illinois and Indiana through which the tornado traveled in a series of erratic hops, that definite figures on loss of life and property were impossible today, although available reports trickling in from territories in which communication virtually was cut off, added to an ncreasing casualty list. At dawn the reported death list stood at nearly 1,000 while approximately 3,000 were injured. Several towns in path of the twister, which apparently came out of the Ozark hills, due to low barometric pressure in Arkansas, and first struck at Annapolis, Mo., virtually were destroyed, while fire in many places added tot the horror and havoc.

So terrific was the force of the storm, that bodies were reported carried a mile while timbers from the wrecked towns of DeSoto, Ill., were found in Duquoin, 15 miles away.

Greatest Loss of Life

The greatest loss of life, according to available reports, occurred in southern Illinois where more than 500 were reported killed as the tornado tore northeastward through Murphysboro, West Frankfort, DeSoto and other of the larger towns of the area.

At DeSoto a school house was razed, only three of the 250 occupants reported escaping without injuries while 88 bodies had been taken from the ruins last night.

Path of Storm 200 Miles

The main path of the tornado was less than 200 miles long, but divisions of the twister hopped off in several directions. Starting from Annapolis, the storm moved northeast and after striking two other towns on the Missouri side of the river, jumped over into Illinois, traversed that state, divided near the Indiana state line and spent its force in Southern Indiana and North Kentucky.

Another line apparently moved southeastward from Annapolis, through Cape Girardeau, Mo., and struck isolated portions of northern Tenn., central Kentucky and southern Ohio.

Covered Wide Territory

With its various offshoots the tornado apparently traversed nearly 700 miles of territory, although only in the direct path from Annapolis, Mo., to Princeton, Ind., about 165 miles, was the damage and loss of life heavy. The path of the storm, apparently was not wide, in places the maximum being reached 300 feet.

While details of the desolation left by the storm came in on crippled lines of communication, relief was being rushed into the stricken area from many nearby towns. Troops were rushed into the district in Illinois on orders of Governor Len Small, who also issued an appeal for aid.

Assembly to Vote Aid

It was announced that a bill authorizing $500,000 for relief would be introduced in the Illinois legislature today.

Loss of life was reported from 26 towns, most of them in southern Illinois, but it was believed that death and destruction visited many others in the storm area from which reports were still to be received.

School houses, churches, armories and all other available places were pressed into use as morgues and hospitals. In many instances it was necessary to move the dead and injured to nearly towns because of the lack of available places of shelter.

Bonfires were built to provide light for workers while in some instances even automobile headlights were used.

Struck Without Warning

According to reports, the storm struck virtually without warning and inhabitants of the territory traversed had no time to flee from its fury.

Stories of the storm's erratic behavior came from many points. With an irresistible energy that crushed entire blocks of buildings, uprooted trees, and snapped telephone poles, the twister whirled through the air, dipping to earth time and again.

Buildings were carried hundreds of feet while at DeSoto a grain elevator was moved intact to the middle of the road forty feet away.

In only one instance was damage to a train reported, and it was not clear whether this resulted from the storm. St. Louis & San Francisco passenger train No. 105 southbound went into a ditch near South Greenfield, Mo., and the coaches overturned, but no one was reported injured.

Whole Town Destroyed

At Annapolis, Mo., where the first blow fell, every building was wrecked or damaged with the loss in this town of 1200 alone placed at half a million dollars. Small loss of life, but considerable property damage occurred in three other Missouri towns, Biehle, Altenberg and Cape Girardeau, all on or near the Mississippi river.

But it was not until the storm jumped across into Illinois and moved on into Indiana that its most devastating effects were felt.

The three towns in Illinois hardest hit were Murphysboro with an estimated death list of 200; West Frankfort with 100 casualties and DeSoto where 150 were believed to have perished.

Indiana Hit Hard

At least 200 were believed dead in Indiana with the principal damage to Princeton, Griffin and Poseyville, all reported with death lists of 5 to 100.

The total dead in Missouri stood at slightly more than a score early today. Twenty deaths were reported in Tennessee. Eight were reported dead in Kentucky.

No loss of life was reported in Ohio.

The tornado first hit in Illinois at Gorham on the Mississippi river, leaving 7 dead and 80 injured. The storm then moved through Bush, Hurst, Murphysboro, DeSoto, Oakville, Benton and West Frankfort.

All homes in Gorham, a town of 500

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Latest Estimate of Storm's Toll

	Dead	Injured
MISSOURI—		
Annapolis, Mo.	3	50
Biehle	10	50
Altenburg	1	10
Cape Girardeau	7	52
ILLINOIS—		
Murphysboro	152	250
Gorham: 35 to 75 dead; 150 injured.		
De Soto: 35 to 150 dead; 150 to 300 ined.		
Bush	15	200
Enfield	12	60
Hurst	6	40
West Frankfort: 100 to 350 dead; 600 to 900 injured.		
Benton	—	50
Logan	3	30
Parrish: 80 to 350 dead; 125 to 300 injured.		
Thompsonville	5	60
McLeansboro	17	85
Carmi	2	25
Crossville	1	10
INDIANA—		
Griffin	40	60
Owenville	6	50
Princeton	20	60
Poseyville	5	30
Elizabeth	3	—
Witham, Ten.	30	50
Lexington, Ky.	1	—
Springfield, Ky.	2	25

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Grain Table.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	1.62	1.65¼	1.62	1.63½
July	1.44	1.45	1.42	1.42½
Sept.	1.36	1.36½	1.33½	1.34
CORN—				
May	1.19¼	1.19⅝	1.17¾	1.17⅞
July	1.22½	1.23	1.21	1.21⅜
Sept.	1.22¾	1.22⅞	1.20⅝	1.21¼
OATS—				
May	45	45¼	44¼	44⅞
July	46¾	47	46⅝	46⅞
Sept.	46¾	47⅜	46½	47
BELLIES—				
May	21.55	21.55	21.47	21.47
July	21.55	21.55	21.50	21.50
LARD—				
May	16.80	16.85	16.62	16.62
July	17.05	17.15	16.95	16.95
RIBS—				
May	19.27	19.27	19.005	19.05
July	19.00	19.05	19.00	19.05
RYE—				
May	1.21½	1.23¼	1.19¼	1.20
July	1.13	1.13	1.10¾	1.10¾
Sept.	1.06½	1.07½	1.04½	1.04½

Chicago Livestock

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, March 19.—Hogs: 37,000; 10@15c lower; big packers doing little; extreme top 14.50; 180 to 340 lb. averages 14.10@14.40; 140 to 150 lbs. 13.10@13.50; packing sows 12.25@13.45; strong weight slaughter pigs 12.25@12.75, heavy hogs 14.25@14.50; mediums 14.15@14.40; lights 13.55@14.30; light lights 12.00@13.05; packing hogs smooth 13.35@13.50; rough 13.10@13.35; slaughter pigs 11.25@12.75.

Cattle: 9000; generally strong to 15c higher; shipping demand relatively broader, top weight steers 10.75; best yearlings 11.50; bulk fed steers and yearlings 8.50@10.50; plain quality 8.25@8.35; bulls strong 10c higher; sausage bulls up to 5.00; lights 4.25; vealers unevenly lower 10.00@10.50; outsiders 12.00@12.50; stockers and feeders slow, little selling under 6.75; mostly 7.00@8.25.

Sheep: 14,000; dull no early sales fat lambs, few bids 25@50c lower, talking 16.00@15.75; good to choice 87 to 90 lb. weights; good ewes 9.25; feeding and shearing lambs 16.35@16.60.

Wall Street Review

By Associated Press Leased Wire

New York, March 19—Opening stock prices today revealed a curious mixture of gains and losses, with the market failing to develop a definite trend. Short covering was urgent in a number of high priced stocks while liquidation was renewed in other quarters. U. S. Cast Iron Pipe, General Electric and Maxwell A moved up 1 to 2½ points.

Despite isolated points of depression marked by the establishment of 1925 low records by several steel and rail shares the market generally worked higher as buying expanded. U. S. Cast Iron Pipe mounted 7 points and Nash Motors 4 while gains of 1 to 2½ points were registered by such stocks as U. S. Steel, American Car and Fdy, Mack Trucks and Utah Securities. Heavy spots included Crucible, Worthington Pump and North Pacific with the St. Paul issues easing fractionally. Foreign exchanges opened steady, sterling unchanged at 4.78.

The early rally again failed to hold. United States Cast Iron Pipe broke from 195@180 or 30 points below yesterday's high and 70 points below the record peak established last month. American Car & Fdy. slumped from 211½ to 205. St. Paul common and preferred moved nearer the vanishing point, establishing new low records at 5⅞ and 9⅛ respectively. Union Pacific dropped 2 points to a new low for the year at 142 and heaviness also was noted in Reading, Lehigh Valley, Gulf States Steel and Pullman. Some of the pivotal shares advanced briskly on short covering around midday. Call money renewed at 3½ per cent.

Early Grain Estimates

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, March 19.—Car lot receipts Wheat 15; corn 79; oats 12; rye 5, barley 4.

Chicago Produce

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, March 19.—Potatoes dull; receipts 60 cars; U .S. shipments 826; Wisconsin sacked round whites 1.00@1.05; fancy 1.10@1.20; Michigan bulk russet rurals 1.15@1.20; Minnesota sacked Red River Ohios 1.30; Idaho sacked russets 2.65.

Poultry alive higher; fowls 27; springs 30; roosters 19; turkeys 23; ducks 28; geese 18.

Butter lower, creamery extras and standards 48½; extra firsts 46@47½; firsts 40½@44½; seconds 34@36.

Eggs: higher; receipts 17,045 cases; firsts 29; ordinary firsts 27½@28; storage pack firsts 30¼@½.

East St. Louis Horses

By Associated Press Leased Wire

East St. Louis, Ill.—Horses: good to choice drafts $150@$200; good eastern chunks $75@$100; choice southern horses $45@$75.

Mules: 16 to 17 hands $175@$225; 15 to 16.2 hands $125@$190; 14.3 to 15.2 hands $80@$135.

Local Markets.

Butter	.40
Eggs	.24
Oats	.40
Corn	.95
Wheat	1.45

DIXON MILK PRICE

From March 1 until further notice the Borden Co. will pay for milk received, $2.15 per hundred pounds, for

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Freeport May Have Big Broadcasting Station

Freeport, Ill.—Construction of a broadcasting station in Freeport, to cost approximately $10,000 is the project being advocated by local radio fans, with excellent prospects of the station becoming a reality within a few months.

An outlay of $10,000 would, promoters of the plan declare, provide a station that would be a credit to the city.

It is planned to broadcast programs about three times a week if the station is built.

A young woman in a nearby town writes her married friend in Dixon: "Have you used Pep Pulverized Soap? It is the nicest thing for washing your silk stockings."

RUNAWAY STOPPED HERE

Archibald MacDonald, aged 18, weighing 275 pounds and standing six feet, four inches, decided to make his way in the world and run away from his home in Cicero. He came as far as Dixon and applied at the police station last evening for lodging giving the name of John Cox. In questioning the stranger, the police learned that he was a runaway and this morning he was on his way back home.

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MILK BOTTLES.

Please put out your milk bottles as we are short. Coss Dairy. 6613

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Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—Good Ford or Ford Sedan. Mrs. Emma Seyster, 306 W. Everett St., Dixon. Phone Y953. 6613*

FOR SALE—1923 Ford Coupe, A-1 condition. 1114 West Fourth St. 6613*

FOR RENT—3 or 4 furnished rooms for light house keeping. 413 South Ottawa Ave. Tel. X898. 6613*

A REAL JOB OPEN IN AUTO AND tractor business—Paying from $100 to $500 a month; no layoffs or strikes; railroad fare paid, and board free with regular course at lowest tuition ever offered; qualify in eight weeks. Write for big catalog and special offer before it is too late. McSweeny Auto & Tractor Schools, Dept 111-281, Largest operator of Auto and Tractor Schools in U. S. 515-21 South Laflin St., Chicago, Ill. 11*

FOR SALE OR RENT—The White store building, size 50x100 ft. Brick construction, glass front, full basement, choice location, suitable for any purpose. Immediate possession. Address Cora White, Amboy, Ill. 6613

WANTED—Work by married man in shop or out side work. Good steady worker. Phone R1225. 6612

WANTED—3 experienced waitresses. Apply in person only. Saratoga Cafe. 11

WANTED—Sewing machine repairing. I have repaired machines by the hundreds in Lee county. All work guaranteed. Phone X389, and I will call. Singer Sewing Machine Co., Dixon, Ill. 6613

WANTED—Cook at the Dixon Public Hospital. Apply in person. 11

FOR SALE—Little Red Hen incubator with brooder, cheap if taken at once. Call at 710 East Chamberlain St. 6613*

WANTED—Roofing, heavy Mule-Hide, Asphalt shingles and roll roofing. All work and material guaranteed satisfactory. For information Phone X811, M. H. Frazier, 1024 Cooper St., Dixon, Ill. 6610*

LOST—Pair of glasses with turquoise rims in downtown district, last week. Please return to this office and receive reward. 11*

FOR SALE—1 6 ft. oak dining table; also 6 oak dining chairs. Tel. K1056. 816 Peoria Ave. Emerson Bennett. 6611*

FOR SALE—Solid mahogany 4 poster bed; oriental rug size 10-8x15-2. Phone K929. H. B. Fuller. 6613*

FOR SALE—Late model 1923 Ford Sedan, in extra good mechanical condition. Fully equipped. Heater, large steering wheel and other extras. Paint and upholstering in fine shape. Price right. Will trade for late model Ford Ford Coupe. Phone L2. 6613*

FOR SALE—1 Ford Coupe, 1 Ford Sedan, 1 Dodge Sedan, 2 Dodge touring. Clarence Heckman, Dodge Agency. 6613

FOR RENT — 6-room modern residence property. Apply at home. Almira Anderson, 321 E. First St. 6612

FOR SALE—2 sanitary closets, complete with tanks, and 2 marble lavoratories, complete with faucets and traps. Phone Y1142, or call at 504 Hennepin Ave. 11*

WANTED—3 young men, brothers, want rooms in clean, modern home, with or without board. Address "W. T. B." by letter care Telegraph. 6613*

WANTED—We specialize on long distance hauling and moving. All goods insured while in our possession. Good service guaranteed and price is right. L. & M. Transfer Co. Phone R1085 or K850. 6613

WANTED—Laundry to do at home. Curtains and blankets a specialty. Mrs. Shuring. Phone R409. 6613*

RUGS

Now is a good time to have them Cleaned and Made Sanitary.
CALL PHONE 78
ROPERS Under Preston's
123 E. First St.

SAY YOU!

YOU HAVE MISSED SOMETHING IF YOU HAVEN'T TRIED OUR PASTRY.

GLEDON'S

CALL 36
DURANT TAXI LINE
Day and Night Service

Local Briefs

R. L. Johnson of Oregon was a business caller in Dixon Wednesday.

Charles F. Welty, of Oregon was in Dixon on business Wednesday.

Howard Hall, of Sterling, was in Dixon on business Wednesday.

T. J. O'Grady was a business caller in Dixon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Patch of Franklin Grove were Dixon callers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tibbits were in Oregon Tuesday.

Mrs. Carl Bon of Polo was in Dixon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rickard were in Sterling Wednesday.

A. L. Wilson was in Amboy on business Wednesday.

Martin Book of Sterling was a business caller in Dixon Wednesday.

Mrs. Bert, Orgesen of Franklin Grove was in Dixon Wednesday.

E. Sweet of Polo was in Dixon on business Wednesday.

M. J. Kent of Amboy was in Dixon on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Murphy of Park Ridge are spending a few days in Dixon.

Dr. Leander Hess and Frank Villiger were in Oregon Tuesday.

E. N. Yenerich of Ashton was in Dixon on business Wednesday.

Monte Bales of Clinton was in Dixon Wednesday.

W. S. Earll of Grand Detour was a business caller in Dixon Wednesday.

Milo Stratten is able to be around after being on the sick list for over a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Reigle of Franklin Grove were Dixon callers Wednesday.

James Schrock and Otto Blume were in Oregon Tuesday.

David Bradley of Route 5 was in Dixon on business Wednesday.

Frank Kreger of Route 4 was in Dixon on business Wednesday.

From Friday on Mrs. Christiance will have her home-baked goods on sale at the Dixon Grocery. 1t

Miss Rachel Knapp has returned to her duties as saleslady at the O. H. Martin dry goods store, after an illness of a week.

The many friends of W. J. McAlpine who has been quite ill, are very glad to learn that he is much better today.

AMBOY WOMAN'S CLUB ELECTED NEW OFFICIALS

Mrs. D. L. Braman is New President of Organization

Amboy—Mr. and Mrs. George Killmer drove to Ashton, Sunday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. John Gonnerman.

Adam Vaupel returned to his home in Ashton Tuesday after a visit at the home of his son, J. A. Vaupel.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Gross spent last Thursday in Franklin Grove.

Miss Vella Dishong returned Monday evening from Chicago where she was the guest of Mrs. Lawrence DeLancey over Sunday.

Roy Scloover has been a victim of the flu but is better at present.

Mrs. Charles T. Smith was a visitor in Dixon Tuesday.

Mrs. Augusta Shoemaker has resigned her position in Dr. Ziegler's office.

Miss Frieda Bushman went to Sterling Saturday to remain over the week end with relatives.

The B. H. T. Circle was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Vella Dishong Friday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Wayne Hanna.
Vice Pres.—Miss Lucille Merrow.
Secretary—Mrs. J. A. Vaupel.
Treasurer—Miss Sue Hanson.

After the business meeting delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Fred Olson of Sterling spent Sunday with Amboy friends.

The children of the Grant school under the direction of their teachers Miss Carol Kugler and Miss Mildred Chapman entertained the members of the Amboy Womens club Monday with a flower pageant entitled, "All in a garden fair." About 30 children took part in the pageant which was given very excellently. Following the program the following officers were elected for the next twelve month period.

President—Mrs. D L. Braman.
1st V. P.—Mrs. W. P. Barnes.
2nd V. P.—Mrs. Paul Doty.
Rec. Sec.—Mrs. J. A. Vaupel.
Cor. Sec.—Mrs. F. B. McCreary.
Treas.—Mrs. F. N. Vaughan.
Auditor—Mrs. C. A. Davis.

Rev. A. A. Hovey of the University of Chicago will again preach at the Baptist church Sunday, March 22.

Mrs. Charles Burrow and baby of Janesville, Wis., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Berkeley.

Mrs. Stella Fisher came home Monday from Wheaton where she spent the winter months with her son and family. Mr. Fisher had just recovered from a severe attack of the flu.

Glenn Vaupel of Ashton spent Tuesday with Amboy relatives.

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The earnings of the First National Bank of New York City last year were $12,241,023.

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E. J. MYERS GARAGE
100%
Auto Repair Service
New Wilson Bldg.
228 W. Everett St.
Phone X687

DATA ON GASOLINE TAX FOR COUNTIES' AID IS PREPARED

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ing up to the limit, to meet the general expenses.

If, however, a Gasoline Tax be levied, and distributed among the Counties as herein suggested, the revenue thus secured can be used for the improvement of the State Aid roads, and these will then, as originally intended, serve as a "secondary system," feeders to the State System. This would in itself finish connecting up the cities and villages as yet not connected by State Roads, and answer the demand for a farm to market Road.

The necessary bridges and culverts of the county highways could then be built within a reasonable time, and thus there could be finished a complete system of highways throughout the counties and the State.

The Gasoline Tax a Fair One

The proposed tax is equitable and just. It is paid in proportion to the use made of the roads. Properly speaking, it would not increase taxation, but it would spread the burden more widely and reach a class of road-users who at present pay little or nothing toward road construction or upkeep.

They System is Already Upon Us.

Forty States already have such a tax upon their statute books, and the number is added to almost weekly.

You can scarcely drive out of Illinois today without paying a gas tax, to support the other man's road. Wherein is it fair that he should not pay such a tax when he returns our visit and drives in Illinois?

The Gasoline Tax is surely coming. Levy it at once and have the proceeds to carry on our road work now.

Please take time to read and re-read this article. Think it over carefully. If the tax and the plan seem to you fair and just, use your influence to have them enacted into law, at this session of the legislature.

The need for such a provision is more pressing than we are generally aware. It should not be deferred. By the time the legislature is in session again, unless some action like this is taken, our County highways will have depreciated noticeably.

L. B. NEIGHBOUR
Lee Co. Supt. of Highways.
ALEX ANDERSON
Ogle Co. Supt. of Highways.

AMOUNT COUNTIES WILL RECEIVE ACCORDING TO PLAN OUTLINED

Adams	$143,241
Alexander	45,039
Bond	46,415
Boone	37,382
Brown	33,866
Bureau	109,852
Calhoun	33,286
Carroll	51,792
Cass	43,960
Champaign	143,584
Christian	115,601
Clark	67,985
Clay	57,461
Clinton	53,166
Coles	77,369
Cook	2,429,031
Crawford	60,226
Cumberland	45,624
DeKalb	80,740
DeWitt	52,965
Douglas	56,175
DuPage	72,809
Edgar	76,942
Edwards	28,899
Effingham	64,770
Ford	56,775
Franklin	77,512
Fayette	74,644
Fulton	114,452
Greene	59,480
Gallatin	32,779
Grundy	52,351
Hamilton	54,742
Hancock	96,857
Hardin	18,540
Henderson	32,463
Henry	107,627
Iroquois	136,444
Jackson	79,441
Jasper	62,289
Jefferson	79,130
Jersey	39,509
JoDaviess	622,792
Johnson	31,721
Kane	120,086
Kankakee	102,204
Kendall	34,173
Knox	104,948
LaSalle	176,864
Lake	98,152
Lawrence	50,887
Lee	85,471
Livingston	125,592
Logan	72,527
McDonough	47,735
McHenry	77,172
McLean	162,142
Macon	104,589
Macoupin	118,305
Madison	143,097
Marion	88,049
Mason	55,074
Massac	29,573
Menard	35,316
Mercer	52,848
Monroe	37,901
Montgomery	97,296
Morgan	72,455
Moultrie	43,673
Ogle	89,819
Peoria	143,271
Perry	55,192
Piatt	51,738
Pike	100,873
Pulaski	28,684
Putnam	19,876
Randolph	62,327
Richland	52,882
Rock Island	106,845
St. Clair	171,628
Saline	61,200
Sangamon	150,054
Schuyler	48,448
Scott	26,166
Shelby	100,532
Stark	35,076
Stephenson	85,066
Tazewell	82,196
Union	48,144
Vermillion	147,361
Wabash	30,564
Warren	66,926
Washington	59,596
Wayne	89,308
White	67,046
Whiteside	86,691
Will	154,697
Williamson	90,045
Winnebago	124,907
Woodford	65,824

HUNDREDS DEAD AND INJURED

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were reported destroyed.

The west end of MBurphysboro, a city of 11,000 was completely demolished and was sitll burning early today.

Parrish, Ill., reports said, was virtually obliterated, with a loss estimated at 80. Duquoin, Thompsonville, Logan and Dubois suffered severely.

School House Destroyed

At DeSoto a school house was destroyed with heavy loss of life. Two hundred and fifty children and teachers were buried, few of whom escaped death or injury. Fire completed destruction of the school house.

A school building also was destroyed at West Frankfort but loss of life has not been ascertained. This wining town of 12,000 suffered heavy loss of life, and property with about one-third of its residentials and business district demolished. It also saw the destruction of the Orient mine, second largest in the world.

Carbondale, Ill., escaped damage and was the rallying point of rescue forces.

Of Three Hours Duration

The storm striking Annapolis at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon completed its course in a little over three hours.

Red Cross relief is being handled through the central division at St. Louis.

The first Chicago train, organized by the Chicago Herald and Examiner left Chicago last night with 200 doctors, nurses and assistants aboard. The train carried medical supplies and tents. Most of the personnel was assembled through radio appeals. At the request of Mayor Dever, the Chicago Tribune started a financial relief fund with a subscription of $1000.

Yesterday's tornado was the nineteenth such disaster since a great storm which swept the southern states in 1884.

Murphysboro Hardest Hit Town in Illinois.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Murphysboro, Ill., Mar. 19—One hundred fifty two bodies have already been recovered, from 100 to 150 more are believed to have been killed, while 250 persons are in emergency hospitals suffering from serious injuries, according to compilations made here this morning. Fire and wind has destroyed from a fourth to half of the city.

National guard troops have taken charge and closed all roads to the city. The final death toll will mount to at least 150, property damage going into millions, reports say.

The injured are estimated from 300 to 400 persons.

Trainloads of doctors and nurses who arrived from all points were taken to the basement of the Presbyterian Church.

Bert Scoby, an undertaker from Marion, Ill., who came through West Frankfort en route here, estimated an undertaker there had sixty or seventy bodies and another undertaker probably had the same amount.

The number of persons burned in their homes after being crushed is unknown.

An Associated Press correspondent made a tour of the city at 3 o'clock this morning and counted 85 wrecked automobiles. Fires everywhere still glowed and flared with increasing fury.

Food is scarce.

De Soto was razed with the exception of a dozen houses according to B. W. Krysher, member of the national guard troops at Carbondale.

Family Burned to Death in Wreckage of Residence.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Cape Girardeau, Mo., Mar 19—Five persons were killed and twenty-five or more injured when yesterday's storm struck the farming region about 25 miles north of Cape Girardeau, according to reports received here today.

The only wire communication this morning out of Cape Girardeau was with Cairo, Illinois.

Doctors returning to Cape Girardeau today from Gorham, Ill., said that 15 persons were known to be dead there when a special train left that town with about 50 injured for Cairo. An entire family was reported to have burned to death in the fire which sprung up after the storm.

102 Bodies Recovered in West Frankfort, Ill.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

West Frankfort, Ill., Mar. 19—Up to an early hour this morning, 102 dead bodies had been extricated from the ruins of the buildings wrecked in yesterday's tornado, while more than 200 seriously injured were taken to the hospitals for treatment.

Two hundred and fifty buildings in the north and west portion of the city were levelled by the storm. An early estimate by Sheriff Dorris placed the property loss at more than $2,000,000.

Companies K or Cairo, and L of Salem, Illinois national guard arrived here late last night, and immediately took charge of the situation. The town, however, has not been placed under martial law.

Kentucky's Death Toll Placed at Eleven Early.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Louisville, Ky., Mar. 19—Eight dead near Glasgow, three near Louisville, two at Springfield and one at Lexington, was the storm's toll in Kentucky last night, according to meager reports available here this morning. An unestimated number were injured and property damage was expected to reach thousands of dollars.

Griffin, Indiana Wiped Off Map by the Tornado.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Evansville, Ind., Mar. 19—Griffin, Posey County, Ind. a town of 750 people was almost completely obliterated in last evening's storm only four badly damaged houses remaining standing. Forty dead bodies were found in the streets. The exact number of dead is not known since there has been no search of the ruins made.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Miami, Fla.—Six men, a woman and a six months old baby surviving the wrecked schooner Beatrice, were rescued by Harry Payne Whitney's yacht Pawnee, a wireless said.

Berlin—The national committee of combined trade unions adopted a resolution requesting the government to accellerate passage of an eight hour day bill in conjunction with ratification of the Washington labor agreement.

Berlin—The Bavarian facisti decided to nominate General Ludendorff as their candidate in the forthcoming presidential election.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

I will be a candidate for Dixon member o fthe Board of Supervisors, subject to the action of the voters at Township election, April 7. Your support will be appreciated.

IRA A. JUNK.
Mon Thurs

ARZEN
STOPS COLDS
At the Start

To Prevent Baldness

Baldness can be prevented easier than cured. Stop falling hair and itching scalp, banish all dandruff and make the hair grow by using Parsian Sage—the best tonic and scalp treatment. It's guaranteed. Sold by Rowland's Pharmacy, Dixon and Rochelle, and all druggists sell it.—Adv.

BORROWING TO OWN

If you wait until you have enough money to pay outright for a home, you may have to wait for years.

But if you have saved part of the money, you can borrow enough more to build or buy a home. Then pay off the loan while you are enjoying your home.

That is the best way to go at it.

Our plan has helped hundreds to homes and happiness.

MAY WE HELP YOU?

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Is Tongue Coated? Try This Simple Mixture

A badly coated tongue is a sign of stomach or bowel trouble. Often simple buckthorn bark, magnesium sulph. c p., glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adlerika, produces real benefit. Because this is such an excellent intestinal evacuant it is wonderful for constipation—it often works in one hour and never gripes. Adlerika helps any case gas on the stomach unless due to deep seated causes. Thomas Sullivan, druggist.—Adv.

TORNADOES

Strike Where They Will.
Yesterday SOUTHERN Illinois
Where NEXT?
'DON'T wait for a convenient time,
DON'T write,
TELEPHONE 203
The "HARTFORD" Agency for Tornado Insurance
Chas. E. Keyes,
Insurance of EVERY kind.
Dixon Theatre Building.

Society

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Announce Winners in S. S. Preliminary Test

It is a pleasure to announce the winners in the preliminary memory contest in the Loveland, South Central and E .C. Smith schools, in each of which splendid papers were produced.

Josephine O'Hare, with a grade of 100 and Olive Beede, with 99, were the fortunate ones in the Loveland school. In the Central building, Ruby Nattress was high, with a mark of 99, and Pauline Raffenberger was next with 97.

At the E. C. Smith school in the 7th grade, Eulah Bertram had a perfect paper, and Bernice Messner made 98.

In the 8th grade there were a number of exceptionally fine papers; Edith Slothower, Margaret Witzleb and Dorothy Hoff leading with 100, and Ruth Leydig following closely with 99½.

All these pupils will be awarded the school honor tickets, admitting them to the Madame Van Gordon concert this evening. The earning of these prizes is made possible through the courtesy of the Phidian Art Club, the Woman's Club and the P. E. O., each of these societies donating Junior memberships.

Missionary Society Held Meeting

The Ladies of St. James Missionary Society held a very enjoyable all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Martha Shippert on Wednesday, with ladies from Nachusa and Emanuel churches as their guests. Although the day was a stormy one, there were seventy-five present to enjoy the excellent dinner served at noon.

The afternoon program opened with a song, followed by Scripture lesson and prayer by the president.

The monthly lesson was conducted by Mrs. Geisler, assisted by others. A solo by Mrs. Wiley Shippert with the Victrola, was much enjoyed, also a reading by Mrs. Martha Shippert. All enjoyed the several readings given by little Miss Vivian Wolfram. A duet, the title of which was "The Rugged Cross," was sung by Mrs. Bahen and Mrs. Lillian Shippert. Mrs. Bahen also gave a reading. After another song the meeting closed with all repeating the Lord's Prayer.

Friends Helped Sam McCardle Celebrate

On the evening of March 17th, a company of neighbors and friends gathered at th ehome of Sam McCardle and assisted him in celebrating his birthday. Among the guests from out-of-town were Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. J. C. Heckman. There were thirty in all present and they spent a very happy evening in games and music and at 11 o'clock a two-course supper was served. At a late hour the guests departed wishing Mr. McCardle many happy returns of the day.

Are You Fat?

Just Try This

Thousands of overfat people have become slender by following the advice of doctors who recommend Marmola Prescription Tablets. These little fat reducers are made from the same formula as the famous Marmola Prescription. If too fat, don't wait—go to your druggist now and for one dollar (the same price the world over) procure a box of these tablets. If you prefer you may secure them direct by sending price to the Marmola Co., General Motors Bldg., Detroit, Mich. They reduce steadily and easily. No need for tiresome exercise or starvation diet and no unpleasant effects.—Adv.

Church

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The interest and results of the Revival services not affected by the weather.

An appreciative congregation listened to the Evangelist last evening as he clearly presented the truth that real joy is found in service.

Dr. Brooks led the Missionary Society in Bible Study in the afternoon. Today he led the Dorcas Society in their devotional service.

You are urged to attend the service this evening.

The subject of the sermon will be "Nehemiah's Victory, the People Had a Mind to Work."

Westminster Guild in March Meeting

The members of the Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church held their March meeting last evening at the home of Miss Frances Patrick, 204 West Chamberlain street, with a good attendance, considering the unpleasant weather.

Mrs. William Rusch led the devotions for the evening and Miss Anna Wood had charge of the monthly lesson study. After an interesting business meeting and program, refreshments were served during the happy social hour.

Today's Doings in Springfield

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Senate to put bill appropriating $500,000 for storm relief on first reading.

House license committee to recommend passage of O'Grady bill to repeal search and seizure act.

Appropriations committee to start on trip to Normal and Joliet.

WHAT IS JOY?

"What joy would I get out of life if I didn't have my ointment business?" says Peterson.

"I am not a money grabber and I make and sell Peterson's Ointment for the good it does to my fellow men.

"I think I've got just about the happiest job in the world. All I do is read letters like the one below—and make Peterson's Ointment. Is it any wonder I am cheerful all day long?"

"I had four large ulcer sores as big as a half dollar for 2 years and Peterson's Ointment has healed them all and I am very glad to let anyone know about your Ointment. From a true friend. My address is 30 Walnut Street, West Haven, Conn. George Hempstalk."

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WOMEN'S INTERESTS

Society

Thursday.

Thursday Reading Circle—Mrs. Geo. W. Smith, 203 E. Boyd St.

Cyrena Van Gordon in Concert—Family Theater.

Woman's Bible Class—Mrs. H. L. Fordham, 231 Lincoln Way.

Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society—Mrs. J. W. Rogers, 417 First Ave.

St. Agnes Guild—Guild Rooms at St. Luke's Church.

P. N. G. Club—I. O. O. F. Hall.

Friday.

Light Brigade—St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Order of the Eastern Star—Masonic Hall.

Ladies' Aid Society—St. Paul's Lutheran church.

Elks Junior Party—Dixon Elks Club.

W. C. T. U.—Mrs. Edward Dawson, 607 North Jefferson Ave.

WORK—

Let me but do my work from day to day,
In field or forest, at the desk or loom,
In roaring market-place or tranquil room;
Let me but find it in my heart to say,
When vagrant wishes beckon me astray,
"This is my work; my blessing, not my doom;
Of all who live, I am the one by whom
This work can best be done in the right way."

Then shall I see it not too great nor small,
To suit my spirit and to prove my powers;
Then shall I cheerful greet the laboring hours,
And cheerful turn, when the long shows fall
At eventide, to play and love and rest,
Because I know for me my work is best.

—Henry Van Dyke.

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS—

Clean Coffee Pot.

Tea and coffee pots should be thor-



oughly cleaned daily. After the grounds or leaves have been emptied out, rinse with cold water, then wash in clear, hot water.

Cooking Omelets.

Never attempt to cook an omelet unless your fire is hot enough to cook it with top ring of the stove on.

Frying Pan on Fire.

Never put a frying pan on the fire without first putting in the butter or lard, and do not put this on before it is actually required. This will prevent disagreeable greasy odors in the kitchen.

Luster to Glass.

Ammonia or soda added to the wa-



ter in which glass is washed will give it a distinct luster.

GLORIA SWANSON AND HER MARQUIS TO COME TO AMERICA—

Paris, March 17.—Gloria Swanson with her husband, the Marquis De la Falaise, left today for Havre, showing no signs of her recent illness.

The film star expects to spend nine or ten days in New York after arrival then leave for the Pacific coast.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S PRESBYTERIAN CHOIR—

The Young People's Presbyterian choir will meet this evening at 6:45 o'clock and a good attendance is desired. The practice is called for 6:45, sharp.

Menus for a Family

Tested by SISTER MARY

Breakfast:

Shredded fresh pineapple, broiled bacon, scrambled eggs, bran muffins, milk, coffee.

Luncheon:

Creamed dried beef with rice, toasted bran muffins, marmalade, fig cookies, milk, tea.

Dinner:

Casserole of smoked salmon, steamed spinach, jellied tomato salad, date custard pie, whole wheat bread, milk, coffee.

When fresh fish is not available the smoked varieties can be used in most appetizing ways. The tang of the cured fish is often a welcome change from the mildness of fresh fish.

Children under 6 years of age should not be served the casserole dish for their dinner. They may have the date custard without the crust, spinach, tomato jelly, whole wheat bread and butter and milk.

Creamed Dried Beef With Rice.

One-fourth pound dried beef, two tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, 1½ cups milk, 2 tablespoons grated cheese, ⅛ teaspoon pepper, 2 hard-cooked eggs, 1 cup boiled rice.

Melt butter in frying pan. Add dried pulled into small pieces and cook until the edges frizzle. Sift flour over meat and stir with a fork until perfectly blended. Slowly add milk, stirring constantly. Add grated cheese and cook until cheese is melted. Add chopped whites of eggs. Pour mixture over hot boiled rice arranged on a hot platter. Rub yolks of eggs through a ricer and sprinkle over top of mixture.

Casserole of Smoked Salmon.

One and one-half pounds smoked salmon, 4 onions, 1 cup canned peas, ½ cup diced cooked carrots, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 8 medium-sized potatoes, ¼ teaspoon pepper, 2 tablespoons butter, ½ cup milk, 1½ cups dried bread crumbs.

Scald salmon. If very salty put through two or three waters. Cut in pieces to serve and sprinkle with lemon juice. Melt butter and add crumbs. Stir until well coated. Put fish into a well-buttered casserole, sprinkle lighly with crumbs and add alternate layers or peas, carrots, potatoes sliced and crumbs with one sliced onion in each layer of vegetables. Add boiling water to cover and bake slowly for one hour. Add milk and continue baking for 15 minutes.

Date Custard Pie.

One-half pound dates, 2 cups milk, 2 tablespoons sugar, ½ teaspoon salt, 3 eggs, plain pastry.

Scald dates and remove stones. Add to milk and cook over hot water for 20 minutes. Rub through a sieve. Beat eggs well with sugar and salt and slowly beat in milk mixture. Turn into a pie dish lined with plain pastry and put in a hot oven to bake crust. Reduce heat and bake slowly until custard is firm to the touch.

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South Dixon Community Club

The regular meeting of the South Dixon Community Club was held at the home of Mrs. Oscar Missman, March 11th, with a good attendance.

The house was prettily decorated in shamrocks and green, in keeping with St. Patrick's day, also with blooming plants.

At noon the hostess and ladies assisting, served a delicious chicken and noodle dinner.

In the afternoon the business meeting was opened by the vice president and then by the singing of "America."

Roll call was answered with household hints. An interesting letter was then read by Mrs. Jensen.

Readings which were very much enjoyed were given by Mrs. Elsie Letvan, Mrs. Eva Beard, Mrs. Jesse Lautzenheiser, Mrs. Frank Glessner, Mrs. Missman.

The High School question was presented by Mrs. Tourtillott and was discussed by all present, both "for and against."

A reading by Mrs. Wolfram was then enjoyed, followed by questions and answers on St. Patrick's day, including some of a humorous nature.

The next meeting will be held on the afternoon of March 25th, with Mrs. J. Lautzenheiser. The program committee for the afternoon is composed of Mesdames L. Hicks, Breisch and L. Henry.

Dixon Lady Directs Local U. of C. Drive

Chicago.—The appointment of Cora Emma Miller, Dixon, as a member of the committee which is to conduct the nation-wide campaign for $17,500,000 for the endowment of instruction and research and the erection of buildings at the University of Chicago, was announced here by Harold H. Swift, president of the board of trustees of the university.

Miss Miller, who is an alumna of the University of Chicago, will direct campaign activities in the Dixon district.

The trustees of the university, the announcement stated, have already pledged $1,671,800 toward the $17,500,000 fund. The General Education Board has offered the University $2,000,000 for endowment contingent upon the university's ability to raise an additional $4,000,000. Although the actual campaign does not begin until the latter part of this month pledges already amount to over $4,000,000.

Of the funds raised in the campaign, $6,500,000 will be devoted to the endowment of instruction and research and $11,000,00 0to the erection of new buildings.

H. S. Glee Clubs Will Present "Blue Beard"

On Friday evening at 8 o'clock, at the South Side High school the Glee Clubs of the Dixon High schools will present "Blue Beard," a one-act operetta in two scenes, under the supervision of Miss Bertha Bennett.

Something out of the ordinary and most entertaining may be expected and a large attendance is anticipated. The characters in the production are as follows:

Blue Beard, Count Guigo—Thomas Erwin.

Rosabel, His Fiancee—Doris Miller.

Village Maidens, Companions of Rosabel.

Nanette—Helen Tradewell
Alevilda—Alberta Peterson.
Pamela—Frances Stanbrough.
Honoria—Dorothy Helmick.
Celestine—Louise Murphy.
Griselda—Mabel Smith.
Gwendolyn—Marylu Jomnston.

Servants of Blue Beard.

Nimble Wit—Neil Reagan.
Addle Wit—Carl Fisher.
A Chorus of Village Maidens.
Scene I—Interior Room.
Spanish Dance—Boys' Glee Club.
Scene II—Room in Blue Beard's Castle.
Time—Evening.
Stage Manager—John Cahill.
Business Manager—Russell Dunavan.
Dialogue Director—Miss Velma May White.
Director of Operetta — Miss Bertha Bennett.

Birthday Surprise Monday Night

Relatives numbering about twenty held a happy birthday surprise on Monday night for Mr. and Mrs. George Guynn of Woosung. Mr. and Mrs. Guynn were at the church and when they returned home found that the house was occupied by a gay company of relatives who had prepared the table for a birthday feast, the centerpiece being a splendid birthday cake. A tempting birthday supper was served after the host and hostess had recovered from their astonishment. Mrs. Guynn's birthday anniversary was on Monday, the 16th, and Mr. Guynn's birthday is March 20th, so the relatives entertained with a surprise for both, and as a token of their love and esteem, presented them with a handsome Brunswick victrola which is heartily appreciated. The gift was presented with the best wishes of all and after a very happy evening all departed wishing the host and hostess many such delightful occasions to mark their anniversaries.

Cyrena Van Gorden Appears Here Tonight

An experiment which, if successful, will enable the deaf to "listen in" on the radio, is now being made by Miss Cyrena Van Gordon, prima donna Mezzo-contralto of the Chicago Civic Opera Company, and noted concert artist, who will be heard here in recital this evening at the Family Theater.

This unique experiment is being made by Miss Van Gordon with Leroy Henderson, a young deaf lad of Chicago, who makes his finger tips serve instead of his ears in conveying the sense of sound.

Sandpapering the tips of his fingers, he holds them on the radiot receivng instrument, feeling the minute vibrations as Miss Van Gordon sends her voice over the invisible waves of ether.

Young Henderson first "heard" Miss Van Gordon sing when he placed his fingers on her throat. The later radio tests they have made developed a new field of experiment that offers interesting possibilities.

The famous "Yo-ho-ho-ho" war cry in "The Valkyrie," one of Miss Van Gordon's favorite roles, is easily recognized by this deaf lad, as are several secred songs. With more experience, he hopes to enjoy his radio set as much as those whose hearing is perfect.

Scientists are eagerly watching the work of Miss Van Gordon.

Number of leading scientific men predict that in time the auditory organ in man will cease to function, and that the sense of hearing will give way to the sense of touch. They claim that the human fingers will then be as sensitive to touch as are the antennae of insects.

Miss Van Gordon, while deeply interested in the deductions of learned scientists, is more anxious to bring happiness, if possible, to those who at present are denied the privilege of hearing in the normal way.

The concert this evening is the last number in course sponsored by the Dixon Civic Music association.

Surprised Mr. Kelly on His Birthday

Fifty friends and relatives surprised B. F. Kelly at his home in Woosung Sunday in honor of his sixty-third anniversary. The surprise which was a most enjoyable and successful affair was planned and carried out by Mrs. Kelly. A very happy day was spent and his many friends join in wishing Mr. Kelly many such enjoyable birthdays.

KINGDOM-MT. UNION AID SOCIETY—

An all-day meeting of the Kingdom-Mt. Union Aid Society will be held next Wednesday with Mrs. David Heagy and her sister, Miss Grimes.

GRADE PARENT-TEACHER ASS'N. FOOD SALE—

The Grade Parent-Teacher Ass'n. will hold an all-day food sale Saturday at Ferguson's Hardware Store.

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Hal Bardwell is busy as ever writing insurance. He represents high-class companies. If you are thinking of insuring your house have a talk with him.

Great Britain has 26 telephones per 1000 population, as compared with 142 in the United States.

Long continued working with radium is said to cause a form of anemia.

SPORT NEWS

Results of Last Night's Games in Elks' Tournament

While the City Markets took three straight from Stratton & Coverts team last evening at the Pastime alleys, the Dixon Battery Shop crew were equally successful against the Durant Taxi gang in the battle for the leadership of the Elks bowling tournament. The games resulted as follows:

City Markets.

L. Thompson	191	148	195
A. Hefley	137	205	159
Bort	127	183	136
Hartzell	131	120	123
Reuland	156	164	183
Totals	742	820	796

Grand total pins, 2,358.

Stratton-Coverts

J. Eichler	141	152	112
Schoenholz	106	106	106
Jones	125	125	139
Moersbacher	196	139	175
L. Hess	142	153	181
Totals	710	675	713

Grand total pins, 2,098.

Dixon Battery Shop

Fallstrom	150	207	170
Legner	88	107	107
Blackburn	120	164	108
Pritchard	118	155	171
Schuler	203	154	124
Totals	679	807	680

Grand total pins, 2,166.

Durant Taxi

Peters	165	185	159
Duffy	106	120	88
Edson	123	123	123
Crawford	133	133	133
Fulmer	102	102	102
Totals	629	603	631

Grand total pins, 1,863.

Buicks

Valle	170	182	167
C. Hess	135	200	159
Eno	75	109	123
W. Thompson	121	121	121
Hamilton	129	129	129
Totals	630	741	699

Grand total pins, 2,070.

Cadillacs

L. Dysart	166	136	128
Worslep	164	160	164
Gonnerman	171	180	124
Poole	168	169	171
Snyder	101	165	118
Totals	770	810	705

Grand total pins, 2,285.

Dodges

Young	127	105	124
Demarest	136	176	133
Arnould	135	130	126
Heckman	180	144	153
G. Hefley	151	151	151
Totals	729	705	687

Grand total pins, 2,131.

Saratogas

Larson	139	118	105
Jones	119	121	112
Wilhelm	103	119	100
Garman	126	117	142
Bowen	170	170	170
Totals	657	645	629

Grand total pins, 1,931.

TRACK MEET OF CONFERENCE TO BE STAGED HERE

High Schools to Meet in This City May 22nd or 23rd

Representatives of the various members of the Rock River Conference met in Dixon recently to make plans for the track season and to arrange the 1925 football schedules. Morrison was announced as the winner of the basket ball championship for the season 1923-24, and Rock Falls was credited with the foot ball championship for 1924 and the basket ball championship for 1924-25. A committee was appointed to select suitable awards for the winners.

A petition presented by Savanna high school for admission to the conference was rejected, due to the geographical location of that school. The conflict in school colors was mentioned but the matter was dropped as no one was willing to take the initiative. The conference track and field meet, which is scheduled for May 22 or 23, is to be at Dixon again this year. J. N. Weiss of Dixon is to be director of the meet.

Besides the conference football games scheduled Coach Bowers is trying to book games with Belvidere, DeKalb and Sycamore high schools. Mt. Morris and Polo think Dixon too strong for them and are anxious to drop the scheduled games. If this can be arranged Dixon will meet Belvidere at Belvidere, September 26 and Sycamore at Sycamore, November 7.

Fur-bearing animals have decreased about 50 per cent during the last decade.

Aged Polo Man Died in West Last Thursday

Polo—Mrs. Bertha Bomberger and Mrs. Ruth Lang entertained Class No. 8 of the Methodist church at the home of the former Friday. Those present were, the hostesses, Senator Kendall, Lillie Hopkins, Verona Kriebel, Avis Albright, Mabel Dew, Mary Holby, Laura Heflebower, Helen Bentley and the teacher Mrs. Ben Good. A scramble dinner was enjoyed at noon and the afternoon was spent in tieing a comforter which the class will sell.

Charles Koch of Dixon was a business caller here Monday.

Mr. Kennedy of Freeport was a business caller here Tuesday.

Luke Stuart of Freeport transacted business here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spaulding moved to Polo from Waterman, Monday. Mr. Spaulding has a position at the C. B. & Q. station.

Miss Bessie Kelly of Rockford who has been the guest of the Misses Margaret and Agnes Maguire returned to her home Monday.

D. P. Rogers passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. R. Mohn at Pomona, Cal., last Thursday, death resulting from pneumonia. Mr. Rogers had gone to California to spend the winter as had been his custom for the past several years. The remains will arrive in Polo Thursday. Mr. Rogers was about 80 years of age and is survived by the daughter with whom he had been spending the winter and one son Miles S., of Polo. Mr. and Mrs. Mohn will accompany the remains to Polo.

Miss Julia Miller of Chicago came Friday and is a guest in the Attorney R. M. Brand home.

The funeral services of Benjamin Kauffman were held from the late residence Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was made in Fairmount cemetery.

Mrs. H. K. Brown was operated on at the Wesley Memorial hospital in Chicago Tuesday morning.

J. J. Garman of Brookville spent Tuesday in Polo.—K.

A 24-hour kiln-drying process has been developed by the U. S. Forest service.

Corpus Christi College of Cambridge, England, was founded in 1352.

An optical device has been invented which measures to the millionth of an inch.

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THE AERIE.

For fifty years eaglets had been reared in a nest near Vermillion, O. Last year a hunter killed Mr. Eagle. Mrs. Eagle soon thereafter went in search of another mate and brought him back to the old nest. A new family was well on the way when a gale swept the nest down. It was eight feet wide, twelve deep and weighed a ton. Two partly formed birds were found in the wreckage of broken shells. There were also bones of animals picked clean by young eaglets years and years ago.

Dr. F. H. Herrick, professor of biology at Western Reserve university, had made an observatory in a neighboring tree and had studied the birds closely for three years, making photographs. This year he was prepared to take moving pictures. He hopes the pair will build a new aerie and raise a new brood not too far away.

This is the kind of study which means something. Putting forlorn specimens of the bird-o'-freedom in cages, making them do tricks entirely beneath their dignity, or leaving them in ill-kept zoos to be gazed upon in idle curiosity seems hardly worth its cost in money and human self-respect, not to mention any other considerations.

Roosevelt, on one of his tours, had a cage built for himself, from which he could safely observe big game and take pictures as well as shoot.

The killing of this great old eagle last fall was regarded as a calamity and a crime by all northern Ohio. That hunter will never shoot another eagle.

Gradually the human race does grow more human, after all.

SIMPLE WILLS.

When Edward D. White, former chief justice of the supreme court, died a few years ago, his will was cited as an example of brevity and simplicity as well as legality. It avoided the involved terminology and complex division of the estate found in many wills.

Recently another example of a commendably brief will has been made public. A Californian has left a will disposing of $3,000,000 which he wrote on a bit of pasteboard the size of a postcard. He used about 100 words to divide his property among his nine heirs-at-law.

He set a good example in two respects: Preparing a will and making it simple and short. Too many persons postpone making wills because they imagine somehow it implies a morbid contemplation of early death. Some others make wills of such freakish content that they lose much of dignity and value.

It is good sense to make a will, and the person who has done so can then live to be 100 years old with a contended mind so far as the disposal of his property is concerned, particularly if the will is clearly and simply drawn.

FAREWELL THE WHALE.

Now it is the whale that is menaced with early extinction. Modern methods of capturing these mighty creatures of the sea are responsible for their gradual disappearance. The gun-harpoon has made it possible to catch nearly 12,000 whales in the Falkland Islands region in a single year.

It is said that steel is replacing whalebone in many of its uses, and petroleum is substituting successfully in the industries that formerly required whale oil.

Perhaps something will be done to spare the whale, just as protection is being developed for many smaller creatures of the earth, air and water. Certainly it would be a difficult proposition to keep the last whale in an aquarium or a museum.

Some of the beasts of the days when the world was young are supposed to have disappeared naturally as their usefulness was outgrown or they failed in the evolutionary process of adapting themselves to changing conditions. In the present period, however, it is man's reckless slaughter of wild things that is making for their extinction and depriving coming generations of the pleasure and profit of seeing them in real life instead of pictures and museums.

ROOSEVELTIAN ADVENTURE.

Theodore and Kermit Roosevelt, true sons of Bwana Tumbo, are going on a sort of fairy hunting trip into interior Asia. They will follow part of the route of Marco Polo, the great Venetian traveler of the middle ages. It will take them through the Vale of Kashmir and on through jungle and foothills to the cloudland of the northern Himalaya slopes, toward China.

Their quest is for strange specimens of wild life. That is one of the few untraveled regions left for the exploration and conquest of modern man.

It will be a romantic trip, and a hard one, worthy of the Roosevelt name.

"Teddy" the hunter and naturalist always had a strong hold on the hearts of his compatriots, and he may be remembered for his exploits in our own west and south, in East Africa and in the Amazon country, when his political record has grown dim. The elder Roosevelt would approve of this venture for his sons, and they fit into his hunting togs rather more easily than they fit into his political shoes.

Germany is going to be able to meet reparations payments all right. She contemplates a doubling of the tax on beer.

TOM SIMS SAYS:

Government experts are advising us to set mouse traps for sparrows. The mice are willing.

The world makes a revolution every day. But China seems to make one every hour.

While opportunity is supposed to knock at your door only once you can always find it somewhere down town.

One thing proved by statistics is that you can't always prove a thing by statistics.

Slapping a man on the back is not always striking him in the right way.

Asylums are getting ready for those who imagine they are income tax blanks.

The impression arises that some of these foreign countries claiming they are facing ruin have two faces.

Speaking Scotch is much more difficult than drinking it.

You must get down to brass tacks to make a man see the point.

by Rowell

BY CHESTER H. ROWELL

The resolution for a constitutional convention proposed by the "wets" in the Pennsylvania Legislature has the rare virtues of clear-headedness and frankness.

These wets know and acknowledge that so long as the eighteenth amendment stands, no modification of the Volstead act which Congress could constitutionally make could go far enough to be, from their standpoint, worth making. So they go after the amendment itself.

Congress could, of course, increase the permissible limit of alcohol in non-intoxicating beverages from one-half of 1 per cent to 1 per cent—but if what you want is the "kick" and Congress has to stop before that "kick" is reached, what difference does it make which variety of kicklessness is prescribed. So the resolution says:

"Whereas, the Congress is now powerless to enact a law upon the subject except under such constitutional limits as to make it a remedial value extremely doubtful."

This is the whole point. Those who do not like the eighteenth amendment have a perfect right to agitate for its repeal—provided they know and do not conceal that it takes 36 states to change it and only 13 to keep it.

Those who do not like the Volstead act have a perfect right to move for its amendment—provided they know and do not conceal that the only amendments constitutionally possible are the ones they do not want, and that a "beer and wine" law would be unconstitutional.

The thing they have not the right to do is to ignore these facts, or, knowing them, to conceal them from the people.

The Supreme Court maintains its record of being the one clear voice on this prohibition question, on which there has been more muddle-headed popular thinking than on all others combined.

It makes it clear that there is no constitutional provision against all searches and seizures without a warrant, but only against "unreasonable" searches and seizures.

It is reasonable to require a warrant before searching a house. It would be unreasonable to require a warrant before searching an automobile, which could run away while you were getting the warrant.

This distinction has always been held reasonable in the enforcement of other laws, and therefore, the court holds, it is not unreasonable in the enforcement of this law.

The "man in the street" can confute this by reference to provisions of the constitution which are not in it, and to decisions of the court which it never made.

The confusion disappears if you read the constitution and decisions before ffuoting them.

TWO KINDS OF HERESY

Dr. Fosdick, removed from his New York pulWpit by votes from other states as a heretic, proudly pleads guilty, and we all applaud.

But would we be so unanimous if we realized the full extent of his heresy?

Theological unorthodoxy is popular. It is a revolt against the sort of compulsory conformity which our grandfathers imposed, and which backward communities, still in a former intellectual age, to which we are proudly superior, now seek to impose.

The real test of our tolerance comes when we confront the heretic against our own orthodoxy, which is not theological, but political and economic.

And Dr. Fosdick proclaims himself that sort of a heretic, too.

"I do not believe that our present economic system is Christian."

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If Dr. Fosdick were a professor in a university, the Defense League would demand his discharge.

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

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NO. 10—JOHNNY SWEEP WAKES UP



"Hello, here!" he exclaimed when he saw that the sky was clear and the moon out.

The March Hare looked over the edge of the big barrel where Johnny Sweep was peacefully sleeping beside the broom store.

"Zzzz! Snrrr! Zzzz! Snrrr!" went Johnny.

Nancy and Nick laughed and even the March Hare smiled a sort of thoughtful, worried smile. "Wake up, Johnny Sweep!" he shouted.

"Wh—whaz at?" asked Johnny sleepily. "I won't do any sush zing."

And he turned over and began to snore all over again.

This time the March Hare reached in and shook him. "Wake up, wake up, Johnny—spring's here and there are about a million chimneys to sweep out," he said loudly.

"S too many," muttered Johnny. And off he went to sleep again.

Indeed it looked as though Johnny was ready to sleep through another winter, but suddenly Nick had an idea.

He ran off and was back in two minutes with an old can full of water. "I'll sprinkle him," he said. "That'll get him out."

"Huh! Rain!" shouted Johnny, jumping up and rolling out of his barrel the minute the water touched him. You'd have thought he was yelling "fire" he was so excited. But if you ask, anybody will tell you that chimney sweeps simply hate water.

"Hello, here!" he exclaimed when he saw that the sky was clear and the moon out, and that three very interested people were looking at him.

"Hello!" said Nancy and Nick and the March Hare.

"Well," said Johnny. "Now that I've had my bath and breakfast is over, will you please tell me what you are staring for—and why you are here, and what you woke me up for, and a few thousand other things beside?"

"All explained in two words," said the March Hare. "Spring's here."

"Well, well, well! So it is!" grinned Johnny. "And that means work, doesn't it?"

"It certainly does," said the March Hare.

"I cleaned all the chimneys at Christmas for Santa Claus," Johnny reminded him.

"They're all full of soot again," said the March Hare. "The Fairy Queen has had a million letters, nearly, asking where you were. Nobody can get his fire to draw decently and—"

"All right! All right! I'm going," said Johnny. "I'll have to go into the broom store when it opens and buy me a new broom though. My old one is worn out. Come along, please, and help me to pick a good one."

"Do you wish to hear some of the letters?" asked the March Hare, reaching down into his pocket.

"Sure," said Johnny. "I'll bet they are cranky ones."

"Judge for yourself," said the hare. "Here, Nancy, please read these out loud. My eyes smart a little and the moon doesn't give much light."

But the Twins and Johnny Sweep knew that the March Hare's education had been neglected and he never got past the line in the First Reader that says, "I see a dog."

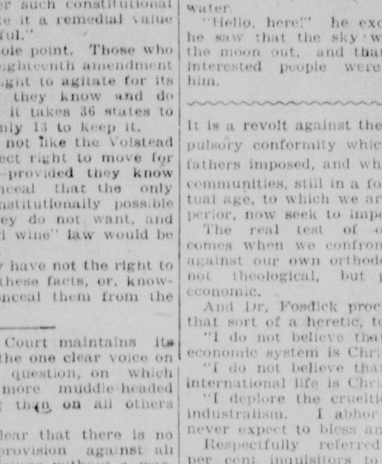
Nancy unfolded the first letter and began to read. Such sassy letter you never heard! But you will hear them next time, if you are very patient.

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Representative and Mrs. F. W. Lewis of Robinson were guests last week at the home of Mrs. Lewis' daughter, Mrs. G. B. Sisler.

Mrs. Jean Haines Terry of Aurora held an Eastern Star school of instruction last Friday during the day and evening which was of great benefit to the members of the chapter. A delicious lunch was served at the close of the evening session. During her stay in our city Mrs. Terry was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Pomeroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Nelson were business callers in Princeton Thursday.

James Doran, Sr., is ill at his home on Main street. His daughter Mrs. William Enright of Chicago, arrived here Thursday evening to assist in caring for him.

Mrs. J. O. Hawks of Van Orin is visiting at the home of her son, J. D. Hawks and family.

Miss Margaret Conner of Glenn Ellyn spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Conner.

Mrs. Mary Hawkins who has been in failing health for some time passed away Sunday morning at the home of her son, Matt, who resides on the John M. Smith farm southwest of town. Mrs. Hawkins had been a resident of this locality for many years and leaves many relatives and friends to mourn her passing. Funeral arrangements had not been made at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Anderson, Mrs. John O'Hara and F. D. Conner were Princeton visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carlson and children who have spent the winter with Mrs. Carlson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Corbin of this city and Mr. Carlson's parents in Princeton, will leave here Thursday for their home in Geraldine, Mont., making the trip by auto.

Relatives in this place received a message last Saturday conveying the news of the death of Robert Fagan at his home in Fulton. The deceased was a former resident of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sisler entertained the D. M. C. club members and their husbands last Tuesday evening. Five hundred was played during the evening after which a delicious lunch was served.

Ben Albrecht is a patient in the Princeton hospital having recently undergone an operation from which he is recovering.

Miss Esther Parsons returned home Friday from Clinton, Iowa, where she completed a course of study in a business college.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Balcom and Miss Henrietta Kramer were Princeton visitors Monday afternoon.

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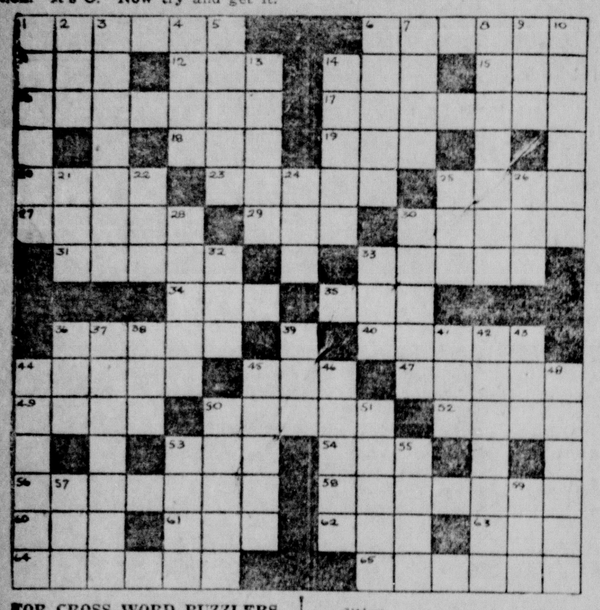
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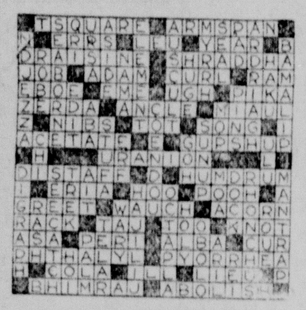
HORIZONTAL

1. Where folks between 6 and 16 trudge to five days a week.
6. What the suburbanite takes to get to work mornings. (Pl.)
11. Also.
12. By way of.
14. Large snake.
15. Kindled.
16. Various cavities in the anatomy.
17. Pastorally.
18. Joined.
19. Before.
20. System of weights commonly used for gold.
23. Term in higher mathematics (pl.)
25. Hideous giant.
27. Vampire.
29. The color that makes a bull mad.
30. Wailed.
31. To examine and try metal.
33. The way every one should stand.
34. To rap lightly.
35. To observe.
36. To discard as refuse (also slang for fight).
40. A citrous fruit.
44. Of or pertaining to a wall.
45. Stir.
47. Defies.
49. Token
50. Glances.
52. A roll of motion pictures.
53. Established value (broker's term)
54. One in cards.
56. Those who live under the same meridian, but on opposite parallels of latitude, equidistant north and south of the equator.
59. Warded off; avoided.
60. A game played for stakes with three or five cards.
61. Dined.
62. Road house.
63. An egg drink.
64. Swaggers.
65. Calm.

VERTICAL

1. Commences.
2. Portable bed.
3. Things in dreadful nature or condition.
4. An egg cell.
5. A fruit similar to the lemon. (pl.)
6. Journeys (especially by auto)
7. Unusual.
8. The reverse of logic.
9. Nothing.
10. Named, called.
13. Out of bed and moving.
14. Kind, class, stock.
21. Long narrow inlet gradually diminishing depth.
22. Opposite of no.
24. Coarse bag for fishing.
25. Rock containing metal.
26. To soak flax.
28. Native.
30. A confession of religious faith.
32. To yelp.
33. Snake-like fish.
36. The total.
37. The Supreme Being.
38. Hastened.
39. A short poem suited to be set to music.
41. To damage.
42. A complex derivative of quinoline. (X is unkeyed letter.
43. Born.
44. Ethics.
45. The nest of an eagle.
46. Animal similar to giraffe.
48. Blacksmith's hammer.
50. Agreements between two or more persons.
51. Scrutinizes.
53. Substance similar to coal secured from Irish bogs.
55. A sea eagle.
57. Negative adverbial particle.
59. An age.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE:



WOS Jefferson City (440.9) 8 addresses.

WHB Kansas City (365.6) 7 address.

WDAF Kansas City Star (365.6) 6 School of the Air; 8 popular; 11:45 frolic, Merry Old Chief.

KFI Los Angeles (468.5) 8:45 talk; 9 vocal; 10 organ, 11 orchestra 12 concert pianist.

KHJ Los Angeles Times (405.2) 8 concert; 8:30 dance; 9:30 talk; 10 features; 12 orchestra.

WHAS Louisville Journal (339.8) 7:30 concert, Night Owls.

WHAD Milwaukee (275) 8 Wisconsin theater.

WCCO Minneapolis St. Paul (416.4) 6 talk; 6:15 concert; 7:30 lectures; 8 St. Cloud night; 9 F. & R. family; 10 orchestra.

WEAF New York (491.5) 6 quartet; 6:45 soprano; 7 Happiness Candy boys; 7:30 musical club; 10 orchestra.

WJZ New York (454.3) 6 Savarin ensemble; 7 Wall St. Journal review; 7:10 NYU Air College 7:40 tenor; 8:15 U. S. Navy; 9:30 orchestra.

WJY New York (405.2) 6:30 orchestra; 9 Virginians.

KLX Oakland Tribune (508.2) 8 organ; 9:45 studio; 11:45 orchestra.

KGO Oakland (361.2) 6 concert.

WOAW Omaha 526) 6:20 announced; 6:30 violinist, symphony; 9 program; 10:30 orchestra.

WOO Philadelphia (508.2) 6:30 orchestra; 7 concert; 9:03 recital; 9:30 orchestra.

WLIT Philadelphia (394.5) 5:30 talk; 7 talk; 8:30 recital; 9 concert, orchestra.

KDKA Pittsburgh (309.1) 6:45 talks; 7:30 concert; 8 concert.

WCAE Pittsburgh (461.3) 6:30 Uncle Kaybee; 7:30 Schubert Club.

KGW Portland Oregonian (491.5) 8 concert; 10 lecture; 12:30 Hoot Owls.

WDWF Providence (305.9) 7 musical; 8 orchestra; 10 dance.

KPO San Francisco (420.3) 6:30 orchestra 10 play, program.

WGY Schenectady (379.5) 6 program; 6:30 health talk; 6:40 Il Trovatore; 9:30 Hawaiian four, soprano, pianist.

KFOA Seattle (384.4) 8:45 program; 10:30 entertainmnt; 12:05 dance.

Basket Ball Players Deadlocked on Captain

After balloting five times Wednesday the lettermen of the basketball squad were unable to choose a captain for next year. The first ballot found O'Malley, Wienman and Abbot deadlocked. The following baliot narrowed the race to Wienman and Abbot. Subsequent ballotings failed to determine a choice. After the fifth ballot it was decided to take time for consideration before again attempting to reach a decision.

Men of the Arabian Akhwaux tribe have been put to death for tobacco smoking. It is considered one of the greatest sins.

FARMERS' WIVES TO BE GUESTS AT ROCHELLE BANQUET

Unique Affair Planned for Wednesday Evening, April 1st

Rochelle—Inspired by the success of the Farmer Business Man Get Together meeting and banquet, Wednesday evening March 11th, when almost 300 farmers and business men sat down to supper together in the Woodman Hall, the wives of members of the Rochelle Chamber of Comgerce co-operating with the Agricultural Committee of the Chamber will entertain the farmer's wives. Miss Harriet Vittem of the Northwestern University Settlement, an authority on community development and community problems, has been secured as a speaker. This meeting will be held Wednesday evening April 1st, at 6:45 in the Woodman hall. Later in the season the Chamber of Commerce plans to entertain both men and women in a gathering in the city park.

One of the unique features of the men's banquet was a song by the Hill Brothers with words set to the air of "How Do You Do." It is a rare thing to have a quartette of real dirt farmers get up and in an exceptionally creditable manner render a selection so fitting to the occasion.

At the regular Thursday noon luncheon last week three speakers appeared before the Chamber of Commerce.

Alex Anderson, county road commissioner, spoke on the gasoline tax and advocated its adoption for the money it would bring the county and in his belief in its fairness.

A representative of the Mid-West Refining Co. spoke on the possibilities of securing sugar plantation leases here and explained the company's proposition.

A representative of a national tourist camp plan then explained his proposition.

A. T. Hustler lead the community singing with Mrs. Charles Diehl at the piano and President S. P. Herrick presided.

A St. Patrick's card party and lunch and dance was held at the K. C. hall, Tuesday evening, March 17. Lind's orchestra furnished the music.

The annual report of Rochelle Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution as prepared by Mrs. Priscill S. Lansden, Regent, gives the following interesting data:

Chapter organized May 19, 1900.

Officers 1924-1925:

Mrs. John T. Lansden, Regent.
Mrs. A. B. Sheadle, Vice Regent.
Mrs. E. L. McConaughy, Recording Secretary.
Mrs. Arthur T. Guest, Corresponding Secretary.
Mrs. Edith Wedler, Treasurer.
Mrs. Josephine Barker, Registrar.
Miss Bertha Steward, Historian.
Miss Mary B. Lyons, Chaplain.

Members, 63; death, 1; transfers, 2.

The society will fittingly celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary during the year.

Last June on Flag Day a bronze tablet was placed on the Court House at Oregon, the county seat, in memory of Captain Joseph Ogle for whom Ogle county was named. Captain Ogle served in the revolutionary war under a commission from Virginia. Plans for these ceremonies were made several years ago and the society was pleased to have a successful day and dedication.

Subjects of interest as used in the D. A. R. magazine constitute the monthly programs. All patriotic days are observed, the society co-operating with city efforts. Contributions are annually given to Berry school, Hindman and Park College. Working material is sent to Ellis Island and all state and national dues are covered. Interest is manifested in the planting of trees and in the care of wild flowers.

The delegates to the state convention to be held at Joliet next week are: Regent Priscill S. Lansden, Regen's Alternate Mrs. S. V. Wirick: Delegate, Mrs. Anna Turkington; Alternate, Mrs. Clara V. Braiden. Other alternates: Miss Bertha Steward, Miss Maude Steele, Mrs. W. P. Landon, Mrs. A. T. Guest, Mrs. James Winslow.

Mrs. Barden, of Oregon, a member of the chapter has been appointed Regent's alternate for the national convention meeting in Washington, D. C., in April.

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WOC—THE PALMER SCHOOL OF CHIROPRACTIC DAVENPORT, IOWA

12:57 p. m.—Standard Time Signal.
1:00 p. m.—Weather Forecast.
2:00 p m.—Closing Quotations on Grain, Livestock and Dairy Products.
3:00 p. m.—"Home Management" Schedule by "Aunt Jane."
4:00 p. m.—Musical Program—Dart's Troubadours, of Peoria, Ill.
5:45 p. m.—Chimes Concert.
6:00 p. m.—Police Reports and Miscellaneous Bulletins.
6:30 p. m.—Sandman's Visit. (Bedtime Stories by Val McLaughlin.)
6:50 p. m.—Educational Lecture—(Under the auspices of the Scott County Farm Bureau.)
"The Care of Farm Machinery," by Carl H. Gamble, Manager Marseilles Works of Deere & Co., Moline, Ill.
8:00 p. m.—Musical Program (1 hr). By the Davenport Zither Club.
Late evening weather forecasts for Iowa and Illinois broadcast during evening program at first opportunity after 9 o'clock.

(Courtesy of Radio Digest)
By Associated Press Leased Wire

WSB Atlanta Journal (428.3) 8 Honolulu maids; 10:45 entertainment.

KFDM Beaumont (315.6) 8 band concert.

WEEI Boston (475.9) 6:30 program; 7 quartet; 7:30 Sadrian trio; 8 orchestra; 9 organ recital.

WGR Buffalo (319) 7 Madam Butterfly; 8 musical; 9 string orchestra.

WEBH Chicago Post (370.2) 7 concert, songs, Riviera theater; 9 Orioles, soprano, twin guitars; 11 dance.

WLS Chicago (344.6) 6:30 organ, lullaby, contralto; 8 farm program; 9 Cornhuskers, vocal, Syncopators, string quartet, glee club.

WMAQ Chicago News (447.5) 6 organ; 6:30 orchestra; 8 Wide-Awake club; 8:30 musical geography; 9 Christian Endeavor; 9:15 musical.

KYW Chicago (536) 7 concert; 9 revue; 1 Insomnia club, Nighthawks.

WGN Chicago Tribune (370.2) 6 organ; 6:30 concert, string quintet; 8 classical; 10 dance, artists.

WLW Cincinnati (silent).

WEAR Cleveland (389.4) 7 program; 8 quartet, vocal, violinist, pianist.

WFAA Dallas News (475.9) 6:30 recital; 8:30 band.

KOA Denver (322.4) 7:40 Book of Knowledge; 9 music 9:10 piano, quartet, address, orchestra.

WHO Des Moines (526) 7:30 soprano, comedian, mandolin, banjo, artists.

WCX Detroit (516.9) 6 musical; 9 orchestra.

WBAP Fort Worth Star Telegram (476) 7:30 old time fiddlers; 9:30 artists.

KNX Hollywood (336.9) 8:30 music; 10 frat program; 12 popular songs; 1 orchestra.

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THURSDAY

The Reward of Faithfulness

Read Luke 9:18-27. Text 9:24. But whosoever shall lose his life for my sake, the same shall save it.

MEDITATION — There are some value that cannot be had by striving for them directly, they come only as indirect results. No man can say, behold now I shall live a great life and experience life's greatest blessings. But if a man does good today and tomorrow as opportunity offers, he comes to the end of each day with the consciousness that he has truly lived. Christ was continually anxious that men should have true goals and worthy motives. Where this is true real life follows as a natural and direct result.

"Self denial, sacrifice and obedience result in the only experience worthy of the name 'life.'"

PRAYER— Gracious God, teach us to see the duty that lies nearest at hand. May we find ways of working with our fellows to do the work of the world, that we lose not the sense of thy divine companionship. Let us live in heavenly places with Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

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The Tangle

TELEGRAM FROM JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT TO MRS. LESLIE PRESCOTT

Unless I hear from you today will send cablegram to your mother to take the next boat home. She would advise you to see me just once. I can not stand this suspense.

JACK

Telegram From Mrs. Leslie Prescott to John Alden Prescott

Do not do anything that will make mother unhappy. If you do this I will never look upon your face again.

LESLIE

Telegram From John Alden Prescott to Leslie Prescott

At last I have heard from you. Anything is better than that silence you have maintained since you read those letters. I'll do anything in the world that you ask of me.

JACK

Telegram From Mrs. Leslie Prescott to John Alden Prescott

Do not try to see or communicate with me. When I decide what I am going to do I will write you.

LESLIE.

Telephone Message From John Alden Prescott to Ruth Burke

"Hello, Ruth. I called you for fear you had called me while I was talking to mother. She is pretty long-winded with her complaints, you know. She seems to think there is something brewing that she doesn't know about.

"Oh, yes, I'm quite aware that there is something brewing, but did you get in touch with Leslie. What did she say?

"Wouldn't she even promise to talk to me? Do you think she will ever forgive me?

"God, this is awful.

"Yes, but what do you think I had better do now?

"But, Ruth, I can't wait. I can't stand it. If I try to wait I shall probably go out and get drunk and get into a worse mess than ever.

"Of course, I know I'm a fool. Do you think it would do any good for me to hop on the train and come over to Albany?

"You are sure she won't see me. Well, I think I'll come over anyway in the morning. It will be easier to talk to her from the hotel there than from here.

"Yes, I know you have done the best you could. I'll phone you the minute that I get there."

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TOMORROW — Telephone message from John Alden Prescott to Nurse Anderson.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

SIR DUDLEY GLENISTER, suspected of the murder of his cousin, James Glenister, has a strange caller in the person of—

SIMON TRICKEY, whose bloated face culminates in one big red blob at the end of his nose. Trickey's plan to blackmail Sir Dudley is interrupted by the arrival of—

DR. WILLOUGHBY MELVILLE, and James Wragge.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

From under half-closed lids Doctor Melville watched for the effect of his request, apparently so ill-timed, on his host.

Sir Dudley walked quickly to his writing table and filled in a "bearer" check for five guineas.

"There you are, sir," he said, handing it to the black-coated canvasser. "I don't mind parting to a gentleman who asks pretty, but I'll be hanged if I shell out to a blackguard who tries to bluff me."

"Now I wonder," mused Inspector Wragge presently as he strolled down the drive after pocketing the check and thanking the donor. "I wonder whether a man who deserves to be hanged would refer to the operation so lightly. I also wonder who the red-nosed blackmailer is. Possibly I shall have the pleasure of traveling back to town in the same train with him."

And as he made his way to the railway station he further reflected on his good fortune in having met at the lodge gates the West End specialist who had treated him for "nerves."

Meanwhile Doctor Melville was taking leave of his host in spite of blustering requests that he should remain.

"Out of the question," he resisted firmly. "My patients have first call on me. Besides, I can't be of any use to you here, now that the inquest has let you out. Your best plan is to keep quiet and let the rumors die down, unless there is something vital that you are concealing from me."

Sir Dudley dropped his eyes before the probing gaze.

"No," he said. "No, I haven't concealed anything from you, Melville. I didn't kill my cousin George."

Melville shrugged his shoulders and went away to pack his bag. His brows were drawn together in a puzzled frown.

"You may not have killed your cousin George," he muttered, "but you have done something, my friend, that is pretty queer. And if I am any judge of physiognomy you contemplate doing something else that won't bear inspection. It would be interesting to know what view Wragge takes. I must look the eminent detective up in my case-book when I get home."

CHAPTER VIII

Violence

THE evil which the nerve specialist believed Sir Dudley to be plotting was not long in coming to maturity. On the day after Trickey's call and Melville's departure from Beechwood Grange he went to London and put up at the Millennium Hotel in Piccadilly. On the same afternoon he had a taxi called and gave the driver the address of Lady Marrables in Cadogan Gardens.

Kathleen and her dowager guardian, after being practically turned out of the Grange, had ostensibly resumed their normal existence.

All Kathleen's old suspicions of her cousin Dudley had been revived by the weird incident in the Beechwood coverts. The trouble was that she did not know to whom to turn for aid. That local wiseacre, Sergeant Mitchell of the county police had agreed with the verdict of the jury and she was ignorant that Scotland Yard was interested.

She had not forgotten Mr. Stephen Colne's offer to Sir Dudley of his official influence in that direction, but the offer had not been made to her and she was reluctant to approach the cabinet minister. There remained only her lover, Norman Slater.

And then, about the time that Sir Dudley was leaving his hotel to call at Cadogan Gardens, a disreputable stranger was ushered in who revived her drooping hopes.

A discreet and elderly parlormaid answered Sir Dudley's ring and informed him that her ladyship was not at home. Yes, Miss Glenister was in, but for the moment she was engaged with another—person.

Struck by the woman's tone, the baronet inquired if the person was anyone he was likely to know.

"Hardly, I should think, sir, except perhaps in the way of business," was the demure reply. "He looks like a dog fancier. I don't ex-



NORMAN'S RUSH WAS THAT OF A MADDENED BULL.

pect he will be long, if you will come in and wait."

Sir Dudley accepted the invitation and was shown into a cloak-and-hat room, whence he had a view of the hall. He had not been there two minutes when he heard steps descending the stairs. A moment later the parlormaid crossed his line of vision, conducting Mr. Simon Trickey, red-bulbed nose, loud-check suit and all complete, to the front door.

The baronet started up to intercept his former clerk, checked the impulse and waited till the maid appeared to take him upstairs to the drawing-room. When he was announced Kathleen was folding and placing in her purse a slip of paper. She completed the operation carefully before she deigned to notice her latest visitor.

"Well?" she said, looking up at last, "this is an unexpected honor—after being turned out of the Grange so recently."

Evidently this was to be a duel sans merci on either side.

"I had to ask my guests to leave because most of them were conspiring against me," rejoined Sir Dudley. "You and that puppy Slater worse than any. But I am here to open the doors of Beechwood Grange to you again. A generous offer, since I now find that you are intriguing with Simon Trickey."

"That is kind of you," snapped Kathleen. "But I am not at all sure that I want to have the doors of the Grange opened to me. I shouldn't feel very safe there."

Glenister took a step forward, his huge bulk towering over the slim girl who confronted him, cool and unafraid.

"Let me make it clear to you," he replied. "I want you to come back to the Grange as my wife. You will be sorry if you don't. I want you because our marriage would be the best answer to the suspicions you have done your best to foster—the suspicion that I murdered your brother."

"Well, didn't you?" said Kathleen dryly.

"I will take my oath I didn't."

"If you didn't do it with your own hands you caused his death."

This new allegation seemed for the fraction of a second to disconcert the accused.

"I will take my oath that I never saw George Glenister, alive or dead, after he went to America."

"And I don't believe you on oath or anyhow," retorted Kathleen. "I am as firmly convinced that you are responsible for my brother's death and that he died at Beechwood as if I had seen you kill him. As to marrying you, the proposition would have been almost as absurd if all this had not happened."

The baronet had recovered.

"Then let us come to grips!" he broke out. "Here is my ultimatum. If you don't marry me I will make your name socially damned up and down the land. Captain Slater was seen to come out of your room late at night."

"You beast!" her fresh young voice found vent at last. "The true story of that night would do you far more harm than me. You know very well what Captain Slater and I set out to discover, and how we were thwarted because you heard us following. In a day or two I shall be able to tell the world—and incidentally the police—a good deal more about you. Oh, Norman, you are just in time."

The last sentence was addressed to Captain Slater, who had entered the drawing-room. The young soldier took in the situation at a glance. Here was all the material for a most lovely row.

"What am I in time for? What's the racket?" he inquired quietly and with a measuring eye on the baronet.

In a few crisp words Kathleen told him how her cousin had made her an offer of marriage and described in Dudley's own language the alternative he had threatened.

Norman listened till the unpleasant recital ceased, and then there commenced such a scene as Lady Marrables' decorous drawing-room had never been set for in all its humdrum history. Norman's rush was that of a maddened bull and would have been his own undoing had Glenister been an adept in the art of self-defense. Quickly recognizing that he might be courting disaster, Norman checked his exuberance and introduced a little science into his method. Two or three sledgehammer blows did the bigger man aim, but they fell on empty air and thence onward the fracas became a brutal assault.

Up and down the room Sir Dudley stumbled, kicking over furniture and crashing into low-hung pictures, with his agile assailant ever in pursuit and administering punishment to the handiest part of his anatomy. His curses gave way to labored breathing and finally he crumpled up and lay sprawling over the end of a couch.

"There, you swine!" said the easy victor. "That'll teach you."

Before the lesson to be learned by Sir Dudley could be defined the door was opened and a man stepped in rather hurriedly. He wore side-whiskers and a mustache, and dressed in a suit of drab reach-me-downs. He bore no resemblance to the clean-shaved cleric who had called at Beechwood Grange on behalf of the Mission to Blackfoot Indians, and his voice was like the crack of a whip.

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ABE MARTIN



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MRS. HAWKENS OF MAYTOWN PASSED AWAY SUNDAY

Illness of Several Weeks Duration Resulted Fatally

Maytown—Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy are the proud parents of a baby daughter.

Mrs. Mary Hawkens died at her home last Sunday, March 15, after an illness of several months duration. She is survived by two sons, Elmer and Matthew and two grandchildren, her husband having preceded her in death a number of years ago. Interment took place at Ohio, Illinois, on Tuesday.

Many in this vicinity are ill with "flu."

James McFadden visited last week in Bloomington.

Simon Pfeffer and Miss Estella Latta were married last Monday at Princeton. They will make their home on the groom's father's farm in East Grove. Congratulations.

The funeral of Frank Loan, a former Maytown boy, was held last Monday at Oregon, Illinois. Interment took place at St. Patrick's cemetery, Maytown.

The "St. Patrick Ball" which was scheduled for March 17 has been canceled owing to the condition of the roads and so many entertainments elsewhere.

William Sharkey is confined to his home with rheumatism.

Constant Fabyre has returned from a sojourn in the south.

Henry Montavon is erecting a barn on his west farm.

John Kessels have named their baby Jean Marcitus.

Misses Kathryn Sharkey and Sarah Karr of Amboy visited friends here Sunday.

Misses Kathryn and Rose Sharkey of Dixon spent the week end with home folks.

The many friends of Rev. F. S. Porcella who is now pastor at Maple Park, Ill., are glad to hear he is improving from his recent illness. Father Porcella was a former pastor of Maytown.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Montavon spent last Sunday in DeKalb.

At the meeting held last Sunday in the parish hall Mrs. Charles Buckley and Edward Ryan were chosen as delegates to the convention to be held next spring at Sterling in the interest of Catholic Welfare Work.

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Roderic Hathaway Was Associated With the Defense Lawyers

Rochelle — Attorney Charles F. Kathbun, whose strategic defense of W. E. D. Stokes, the ageing New York millionaire, of the charge of trying to defame Mr. Stokes' wife, Helen Gellwood Stokes, of Denver, won Stokes a "not guilty" verdict in Chicago, Friday afternoon, was represented in court by Attorney Roderic D. Hathaway, a graduate of the law school of the University of Chicago, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer D. Hathaway, Sr., of this city. The defense won on the basis that Stokes was a poor old fool falling for stuff that folks were feeding his gullible mind in order to get money out of him."

Attorney Hathaway was home from Chicago to spend the week end with his parents.

Mrs. A. M. Peck spent Friday night in Rochelle, a guest of Miss Emma Countryman. Wednesday she leaves Chicago for California to join her husband and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Countryman have rented an apartment in the Hanaker building on Sixth street and are now purchasing furnishings.

W. J. Furlong, who travels for the Louisville factory of the National Candy Co., was here to spend the week end. His mother, Mrs. Lucy Furlong, is still in Jacksonville, Florida, but will go to New Orleans, La., before coming home.

Mrs. Henry Kuemmel is quite seriously ill at her home.

Mrs. W. S. Lyon who has been confined to her bed for some time, is gradually failing. Her daughter, Mrs. Craig, is here from Burlington, Iowa, to assist in her care. Mrs. Ella Flanders is an attending nurse.

Fred W. Craft returned home from the Washington Boulevard Hospital, Chicago, where he has been convalescing from an operation. Mrs. Craft accompanied him.

Harry Young, formerly a clerk at Collier's Inn, at Rochelle, is one of the committee clerks in the State Senate at Springfield this session.

Atty. and Mrs. Fred E. Gardner left Wednesday on an automobile trip through Ohio, West Virginia, Pennsylvania and Maryland. Mr. Gardner is on a business trip and Mrs. Gardner will visit Miss Olive Menz at Weisburg, W. Va.

Mrs. Frank Campbell and mother spent Tuesday in Rockford.

Miss Louise Entorf spent Monday in Chicago.

The ladies of the Methodist church are planning a public dinner for Tuesday, March 17th from 5:00 to 7:00 p. m.

Andrew Binz and daughter, Mrs. Adam Krug, who are in Florida, have gone from Clearwater to Miami, where the John Krug family is located. They find Miami much more balmier than Clearwater.

Augustus Caspers is convalescing from an operation performed at the Lincoln hospital.

Leo Cole has moved from Ashton to Rochelle. He has rented the Fouser house on Eighth street.

Mrs. Ellen Phelps is confined to her bed with neuritis.

Mrs. B. J. Aekland is convalescing nicely from her recent illness.

Mrs. Lincoln Walters has been having a serious time since her return home from Mayo Brothers hospital. She is suffering from an infection in the face.

Henry Spaulding, inspector for the Rochelle Gas Co., has been critically ill with pneumonia, but is reported slightly improved.

The March meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held at the home of Mrs. A. B. Sheadle, Thursday afternoon, March 12th at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. W. P. Graham will be an assisting hostess. Mrs. Clara V. Braiden will be the leader and the subject for discussion will be the D. A. R. magazine (November issue.)

H. U. Bazdwell continues to write insurance—auto or fire—makes no difference to Hal. tf

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It costs many a ——(2)
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(3) Circular top piece to make shirt uncomfortable.
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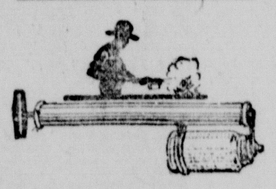


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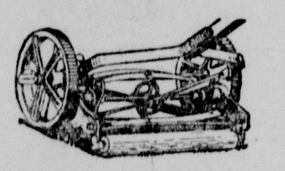
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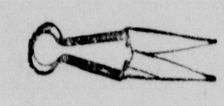
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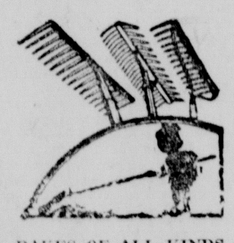
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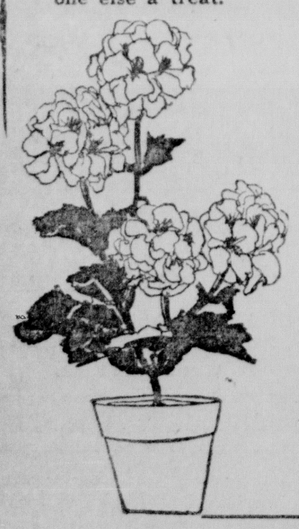


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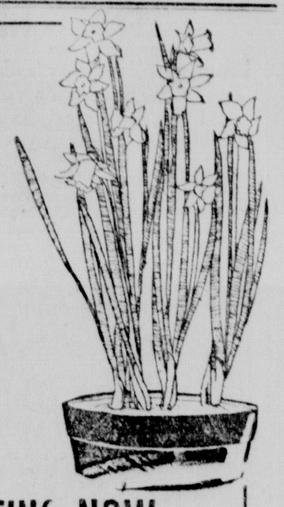
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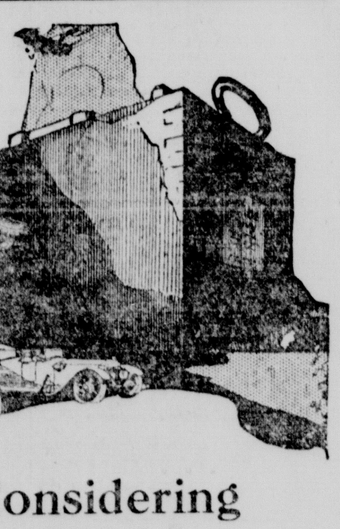
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